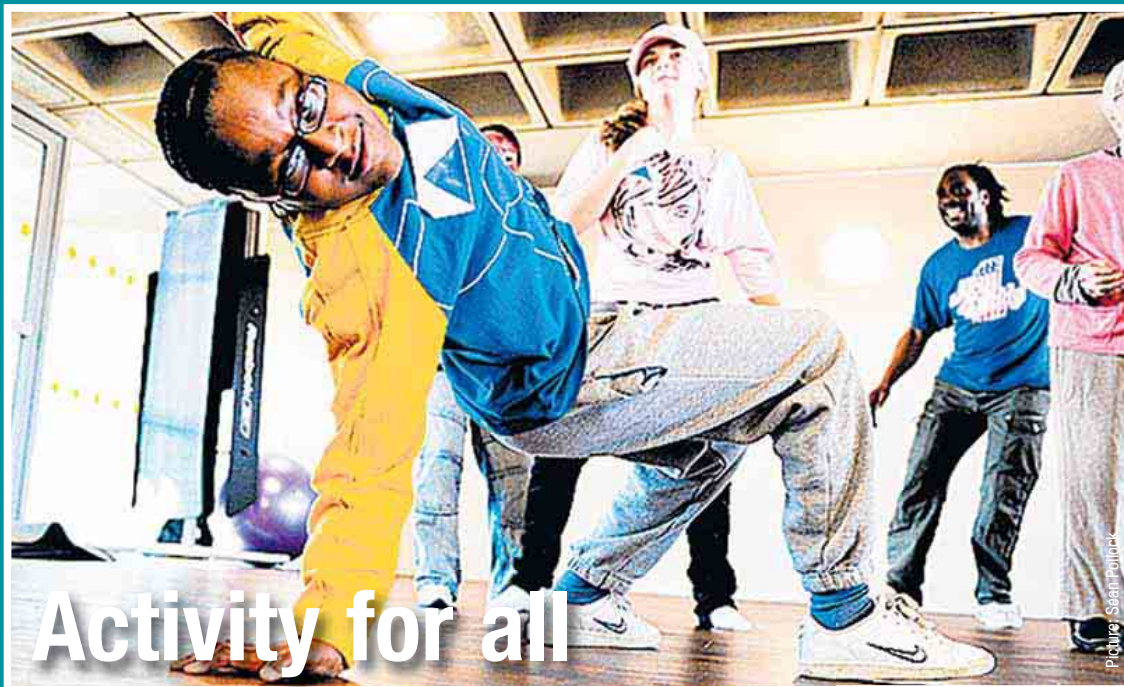


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## Activity for all

A dancing class at the Activity For All open day

**RESIDENTS** packed into Clissold Leisure Centre for a sports and art open day.

The Activity For All event on 21 March offered the chance for disabled and non-

disabled residents to try out trampolining, judo, wheelchair basketball,

archery, swimming, dance and Tai Chi, with top tips from Paralympic stars, as

well as arts and crafts. For more pictures, see pages 8&9

# HAVE YOUR SAY

By James Willsher



**R**ESIDENTS are being urged not to miss out on their chance to vote on 6 May.

For the first time, voters can decide who they want to be their MP, ward councillors and the Mayor of Hackney, all on the same day.

However, those who are not on the electoral register, and have not applied to go on it by 20 April, will not be able to vote – signing up for other services, including paying Council Tax, does not automatically register residents to vote.

The Mayoral elections determine Hackney's executive Mayor, who is not a councillor, but the political leader of the Council, overseeing the

budget and all Council services.

The local elections determine which 57 councillors will represent constituents in 19 areas of Hackney, called wards.

Councillors have a range of responsibilities, including helping to oversee the Council and its services. They hold drop-in advice surgeries to discuss local issues with residents.

To be eligible to vote in

the elections, residents need to be at least 18-years-old on 6 May.

Those who have recently moved home need to register their new address. British and EU citizens, and those from British overseas territories and qualifying Commonwealth countries, are eligible to vote in the Council and Mayoral elections.

To request a postal vote, the deadline is 5pm on 20

April. Poll cards for the Council and Mayoral elections are being delivered at the beginning of April. Poll cards for the General Election will be delivered two weeks later.

### MORE INFO

To register call: 020 8356 3000, e-mail: [info@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:info@hackney.gov.uk); or download a form at: [www.hackney.gov.uk/elections-electoral-register](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/elections-electoral-register)



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## NEWS IN BRIEF

## Election build-up

THE regular column from the Mayor of Hackney won't be appearing in Hackney Today until after the Council and Mayoral elections. These rules apply to the General Election, which also takes place on 6 May.

This is because of regulations governing local government publicity in the run-up to elections. The rules mean that Hackney Today will not feature or mention any elected politician or candidate during this period, unless there is a need to respond to an issue of public importance. The regular ward councillors page also cannot be featured until after the elections.



Picture: Gary Mantine

## Dive in and get involved

A SWIMMING club is looking for talented young athletes to compete in this year's London Youth and Mini Youth Games.

Clissold Swimming Club (CSC) is searching for seven to 17-year-olds to join up and make an impact at the two events this summer.

Members will have more time to train after being given a dedicated slot for the Hackney team at Clissold Leisure Centre every week.

CSC's London Youth Games training sessions will take

place every Wednesday, from 8pm, starting on 21 April. For info e-mail: [rob.kinch@hotmail.com](mailto:rob.kinch@hotmail.com); or visit:

[www.clissoldswimmingclub.org.uk](http://www.clissoldswimmingclub.org.uk)

Meanwhile, adult residents can learn to be better swimmers after the Amateur Swimming Association, the Council and GLL, which manages the borough's leisure facilities, formed a partnership to offer free lessons.

The scheme – available at Britannia, Clissold, and Kings Hall leisure centres – will provide free, six-hour courses over six weeks, taught by a qualified teacher in groups no larger than 12. Ask for more info at participating leisure centres, or visit: [www.gll.org/freeswimminglessons](http://www.gll.org/freeswimminglessons)



More than 100 people have benefited from lessons since the free courses began in December

## Make your mark this year

A VOLUNTEER scheme imported from the US and South Africa is looking for young Londoners to mentor children in Hackney, Islington and Tower Hamlets.

Volunteers, aged 18 to 25, are wanted to spend 12 months working with primary school children in the three boroughs who may be experiencing a difficult upbringing.

The City Year scheme has received praise back in the US from President Barack Obama, and some volunteers have had tough childhoods themselves.

Sophie Livingstone, Chief Executive of City Year London, said: "Too often, today's young people are labelled a 'lost generation'. Through full-time volunteering, City Year gives young people the chance to play a part in becoming the generation that ends poverty in London."

To apply visit: [www.cityyear.org.uk](http://www.cityyear.org.uk)



Jerry-Ray Pearce, who trains at Clissold Leisure Centre, returned from the National Swimming Junior Championship with six medals

## Making a splash

By  
Marcel Reinard



**A** POTENTIAL swimming superstar has struck gold at the National Swimming Junior Championships, just a year after first getting professional coaching.

Jerry-Ray Pearce, 12, swept the board with four golds and two silvers for free stroke, backstroke, breaststroke and relays at



the competition in Sheffield, on 6 and 7 March. The swimmer, who had amputations as a result of meningitis as an infant, has set herself impressively high standards in her first major competitive event.

"I was pleased and it was a shock to win the six medals," she said.

Her coach, Michelle Welkman, who has also trained multi-Paralympian and World Champion, Dervis Konuralp, said: "She'd never done any training before a year ago, so came to improve her technique to become a stronger, fitter swimmer."

"Jerry-Ray did great at the junior championships and our hope is to keep developing and one day make it to a Paralympic Games, to carry on the proud tradition in Hackney."

**"I was pleased and it was a shock to win the six medals"**

The event was organised by Disability Sport Events. Renowned as a pathway to international success, the junior programme provides swimmers with a chance to compete against their national rivals in the pool.

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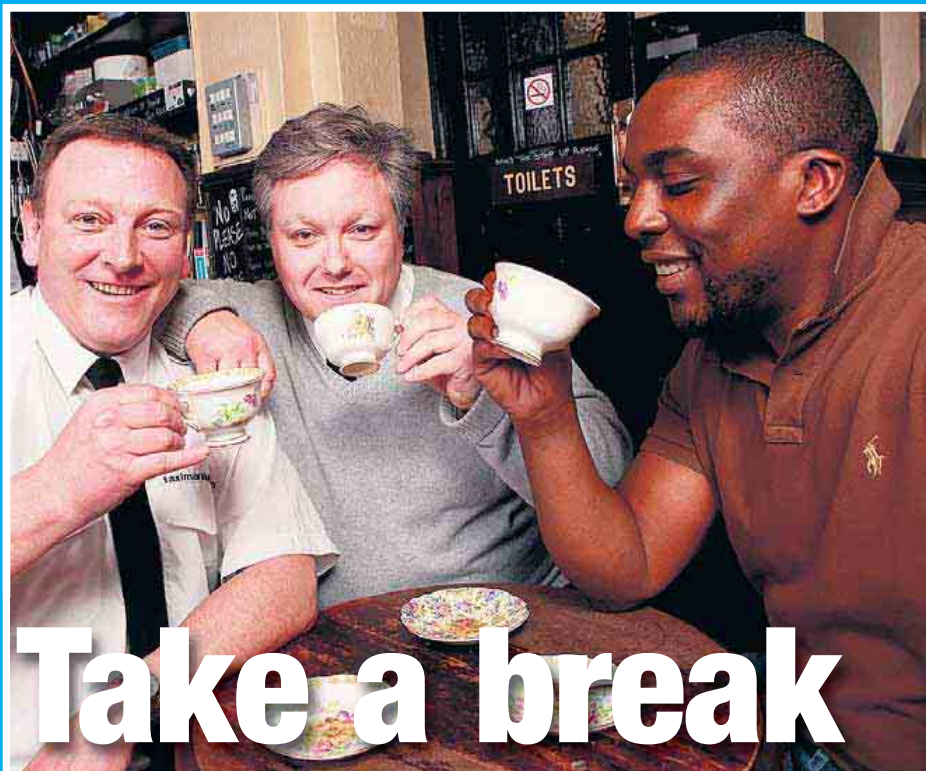
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## Tempting the taxis to Shoreditch's marshalled rank

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Picture: Olivia Harris

# Take a break

Taxi drivers can enjoy a cup of tea at the Barley Mow and Old Blue Last pubs throughout April

 By  
**Miranda Yates**


**L**ICENSED cab drivers are being encouraged to use Shoreditch's marshalled taxi rank with an offer that few can refuse.

Two taxi-friendly pubs in the area will offer black cab drivers free 'tea and a wee', as part of the Council's campaign to encourage Shoreditch pub and club-goers to opt for a safe ride home.

Lucy Palmer, manager of the Barley Mow pub, said: "I'm offering tea and a wee

for licensed cabbies because I know my customers benefit from taking a safe cab home rather than a lift with a random driver.

"Shoreditch's licensed cab drivers are crucial for helping us to drive the message home to drinkers that it's worth the walk to the rank and not worth the

**“My customers benefit from taking a safe cab rather than a lift with a random driver”**

risk of getting into an unlicensed vehicle.”

The Barley Mow and the Old Blue Last are running the offer for licensed cabbies throughout April on Friday and Saturday nights from 10pm to 1am. Around 20 neighbouring bars will put up posters in their ladies' lavatories to encourage customers to make their way to the rank for a safe ride home.

### MORE INFO

The taxi rank is on Old Street, near 333 Club, 10pm to 3am every Fri and Sat

## NEWS IN BRIEF

### Life for Matalan murder

A TEENAGER has been sentenced to life with a minimum 20-year term for the murder of Matalan manager Jamie Simpson. Kobina Essel, 19, stabbed the 33-year-old in the neck with a 10-inch knife during the hold-up at the Dalston store on 22 April 2008. Essel, of Manor Park, E12, was found guilty of murder by an Old Bailey jury in February. He also pleaded guilty to conspiracy to rob. Essel's accomplices Anthony Maina, 20, Randy Osei-Owusu, 17, and Simeon Jumah, 25, were convicted of manslaughter and conspiracy to rob. Following the conviction it emerged that when Maina, 20, of Canning Town, took part in the robbery, he had been on police bail for the murder of a teenager. He was later convicted of the murder of 17-year-old Rizwan Darbar and jailed for life with a minimum term of 14 years. In the Matalan case, he has been given minimum terms of six years for manslaughter and five years for robbery, which will be served concurrently with the life sentence. Three other men were found guilty of conspiracy to rob. Roy Williams, 31, of Edmonton, North London, a friend of Mr Simpson and a security guard at the store, was jailed for 10 years. Jammal Chambers, 18, of Poplar, E14, was ordered to be detained for seven years. Getaway driver Duane Owusu, 20, of Manor Park, E12, was given eight years. Investigating officer, DCI Jackie Sebire of the Homicide and Serious Crime Command, said: "Jamie was a good man who was simply going about his job when he was fatally stabbed. I would like to thank his family for the assistance they have provided during the course of the investigation. Throughout their ordeal, they have shown the utmost patience, dignity and courage."



Victim Jamie Simpson was stabbed in the neck

### Power to stop problem drinkers

THE Council has approved plans to give police new borough-wide powers to confiscate alcohol from drinkers who behave violently or anti-socially in public places. The move follows a consultation last year, when 63 per cent of residents who responded said they were in favour of making the whole of Hackney a Designated Public Place Order (DPPO) in order to manage anti-social behaviour related to excessive drinking. The new powers, which will come into force by the end of May, are not aimed at those enjoying a beer or glass of wine in a Hackney park, but at a small number of people whose excessive drinking is a threat or a nuisance to other people. Without the powers permitted under a DPPO, police have to wait until an alcohol-related incident has escalated into a more serious offence before a drinker can be dealt with. Now police will be able to ask people to stop drinking, and confiscate their alcohol if they refuse. Officers can also give £50 fixed penalty notices to drinkers who do not instantly comply. The police will focus their efforts on places identified as 'problem spots'.



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## £750k grants

Clockwise from above: Complementary therapy with Hands Inc; a dance class at the Great Nile Trust; Haroon, North London Muslim Community Centre youth sports development manager with young footballers; and MDMD Arts and Sports founders Elroy & John Bailey

By  
Ruth Garland



**V**OLUNTARY and community groups have the chance to apply for a share of £750,000 in grants.

The funding is awarded by the borough's strategic partnership, Team Hackney, and administered by Hackney Council for Voluntary Service (HCVS).

Last year, 90 grants were awarded to local groups (see the examples on the right). The money is allocated to organisations

**“It gives the voluntary and community sector an opportunity to showcase what only they can offer”**

that can show they offer services that will reach vulnerable groups in Hackney.

This could include anything from reducing child poverty and providing activities for young people at risk of crime, to helping older people to live

independently, tackling fuel poverty, or helping people into work or training.

Organisations can apply for three levels of funding: £1-5,000; £6-

### Hands Inc

In 2001, therapists Eileen Bellot and Rebecca Bruce founded Hands Inc which provides complementary therapies and art therapy to Hackney residents for free, or at a subsidised rate.

Hands Inc's core beliefs are that a holistic approach to wellbeing encourages healthier communities and that these services should be available to people who would not usually be able to access or afford them.

Hands Inc's services include massage, acupuncture, reflexology, art therapy, stress management and exercise classes.

Call: 020 3051 8626; or visit: [www.handsinc.co.uk](http://www.handsinc.co.uk)

15,000; and £16-30,000. Support workshops are available for organisations that need some help with their applications.

HCVS Chief Executive, Jake Ferguson, said: “This year's grants programme represents a significant investment by Team Hackney in the voluntary and community sector.

“It gives the sector the opportunity to showcase what only they can offer and to complement public

services with some fantastic community-led approaches to tackling Hackney's key issues.”

### MORE INFO

To apply or to sign up for a support workshop, call: 020 7923 1962; e-mail: [elizabeth@hcv.org.uk](mailto:elizabeth@hcv.org.uk); or download a pack from: [www.hcv.org.uk](http://www.hcv.org.uk) deadline for applications is 12noon on 28 May



### Great Nile Trust

Formed in 2001 to help women, children and young people from Africa. Grace Kakaire, project co-ordinator, said there was a need for a women-led African organisation.

The group meets weekly and can offer access to a range of services, as well as the opportunity to participate in cultural and social activities. Services include family support and welfare, mediation, sexual health advice and counselling, as well as courses, sports activities and after school programmes.

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### North London Muslim Community Centre (NLMCC)

Started in 1980 as a response to a need for activities for young Muslim people in the area. The centre now has 22 staff and offers a wealth of activities and services. Advice, support and advocacy are delivered across projects which include an advice surgery; mental health liaison project; youth centre project; positive activities for young people; Sure Start Children's Centre project; fathers' forum and a luncheon club for older people.

Call: 020 8806 1147; or visit: [www.nlmcc.org.uk](http://www.nlmcc.org.uk)



### MDMD Arts & Sports

Provides activities for residents of the Nightingale estate, E8. MDMD stands for 'Making Dance Music and Drama' and was set up by brothers John and Elroy Bailey. Their ethos is to encourage young people to learn the crafts of music, dance and drama to enable them to perform and develop the skills to pursue a career in the entertainment industry. They offer tuition in keyboard, bass, percussion, vocal training, dance, keep fit and football, as well as having a fully equipped music recording studio available. MDMD supports an age range from five to 21 and they now serve parents and sometimes older people.

Call: 020 7923 8367; or e-mail: [nardobuk@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:nardobuk@yahoo.co.uk)

### KEY FACT

Last year Team Hackney awarded 90 grants to local groups

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The Orbit will be 22 metres taller than the Statue of Liberty in New York

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# The race is on

The Olympic Stadium is nearing completion and the hunt has begun for an organisation to take it over after the 2012 Games

By  
Marcel Reinard



**T**HE search is on for an organisation to take over the Olympic Stadium after 2012.

The Olympic Park Legacy Company (OPLC) has called for organisations interested in operating, managing or locating to the Stadium after the Olympic and Paralympic Games, to come forward with initial ideas on its usage.

Organisations have until

18 May to express their interest in the stadium and the OPLC hopes the future of the iconic building will be settled by the end of March 2011.

Andrew Altman, Chief Executive of the OPLC, said the legacy of the development should be a focal point for sport and community-led events including schools, clubs and creative and social enterprises. He added: "We want to provide local people with significant improvements in health and well-being, education, skills and training, job opportunities, cultural

**“ We want to provide local people with significant improvements ”**

entitlements, housing, social integration and environment.”

All bids will go through a rigorous procurement process before a contract can be awarded to any would-be operators.

Earlier this year, Premiership football club

West Ham announced interest in moving from its Upton Park stadium, in E13, to the Olympic Park, and is thought to be working on a joint bid with Newham Council.

Interested parties are asked to consult the OPLC's Memorandum of Information, which will contain the stadium's full data and detail, the vision for the Olympic Park as a whole, and instructions for formulating a response.

## MORE INFO

Visit: [www.legacycompany.co.uk](http://www.legacycompany.co.uk)

## NEWS IN BRIEF

### Anybody need tickets?

REGISTRATION has opened for the London 2012 Olympic Games and Paralympic Games. Those who sign up can take advantage of ticketing information, events, offers and other 2012 news, as well as a simpler ticket purchasing service. Within the registration site's first nine hours on 25 March, 150,000 people declared an interest in buying tickets. Eight million Olympic tickets and two million Paralympic tickets will be available.

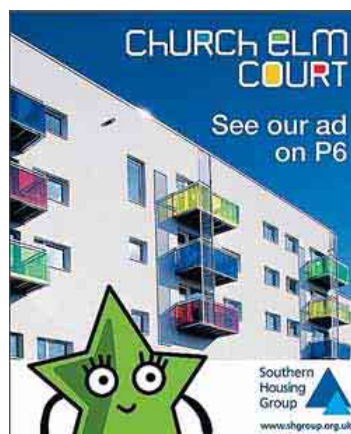
A warning has been issued against bogus websites offering tickets, and the London Organising Committee of the Olympic Games and Paralympic Games has stated legal action has been taken against some organisations that have done so. Tickets for the Games go on sale next year. To register, visit [www.tickets.london2012.com](http://www.tickets.london2012.com)

### 2012 drama showcases

TWO Hackney art organisations are 'thrilled' after receiving funds to produce projects created by disabled people in the run-up to London 2012.

Candoco Dance Company, in N1, and Graeae Theatre Company, E2, collected £50,000 and £46,495 respectively, to create new work for the London 2012 Cultural Olympiad's Unlimited initiative, showcasing UK art and culture. Jenny Sealey, Graeae Chief Executive, said: "This award presents a unique opportunity to profile the skills and excellence of deaf and disabled artists. We can metaphorically and literally raise them above the precipice, making a bold statement centre stage for the world to witness."

The two companies are the first to receive funding from the scheme. Applications for the second round of awards are now open.



## An eyeful tower for 2012

A TWISTING sculpture that people can climb has been chosen as a post-Games attraction in the Olympic Park.

Turner Prize winning artist Anish Kapoor's 'Orbit' is set to be the tallest sculpture in the UK at 115m high, according to the Greater London Authority.

The UK's answer to the Eiffel Tower will consist of

a looping lattice of tubular steel and offer views of the 250-acre Olympic Park and the capital's skyline.

Costing £19.1million, steel producer ArcelorMittal is to fund up to £16million of the project with the remaining £3.1million provided by the London Development Agency. The sculpture will stand in the southern part of the Park between the

Olympic Stadium and Aquatics Centre and will open in time for London 2012. After completion, the Olympic Park Legacy Company will run the visitor attraction.

Anish Kapoor said: "I am deeply honoured to be invited to undertake this challenging commission."

Construction is subject to further planning consent.



An artist's impression of The AcelorMittal Orbit




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**Hackney Community College has spaces left on these courses starting in April.**

### Courses for adults starting from April

Course title	Start date	End date	Time	Cost	Discounted cost
<b>Arts</b>					
Drawing and Painting	21-Apr	30-Jun	2:30-4pm	£115	£16
Drawing and Painting	21-Apr	30-Jun	6:30-8:30pm	£95	£16
<b>Cake Decorating</b> (sugar flower)	06-Jun	03-Jul	10am-2:30pm	£95	n/a
<b>Counselling</b> (introduction)	29-Apr	08-Jul	6-9pm	£168	£20.25
<b>Driving Theory</b>	14-Jun	19-Jul	7-9pm	£65	£16
<b>Family Learning</b> (you must come with your child)					
Literacy	24-Apr	29-May	10am-12:30pm	FREE	
Literacy	05-May	17-Jul	10am-12:30pm	FREE	
Numeracy	24-Apr	29-May	12:45-2:45pm	FREE	
Numeracy	05-May	17-Jul	12:45-2:45pm	FREE	
<b>Languages</b>					
Arabic (beginners)	19-Apr	28-Jun	7-9pm	£130	n/a
French (beginners)	20-Apr	29-Jun	7-9pm	£130	n/a
Spanish (beginners)	21-Apr	30-Jun	7-9pm	£130	n/a
Spanish (improvers)	20-Apr	29-Jun	7-9pm	£130	n/a
Swahili (beginners)	21-Apr	30-Jun	7-9pm	£130	n/a
Turkish (beginners)	19-Apr	28-Jun	7-9pm	£130	n/a
<b>Sewing</b>					
Corsetry	20-Apr	29-Jun	2:30-4:30pm	£95	£16
Corsetry	20-Apr	29-Jun	6:30-8:30pm	£95	£16
Clothesmaking (mixed)	21-Apr	30-Jun	7-9pm	£95	£16
Clothesmaking (mixed)	22-Apr	01-Jul	7-9pm	£95	£16
<b>Singing</b> (beginners)	19-Apr	28-Jun	7-9pm	£95	£16
<b>Tiling</b>	08-May	12-Jun	10:30am-4pm	£150	n/a

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**DID YOU KNOW?**



A packed event at Hackney Wick Community Centre offered residents a chance to learn more about the opportunities of the London 2012 Games

# Discovering 2012



By  
**Emma Britton**

**N**EARLY 100 residents turned out to learn more about how the 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games are changing their area.

On 18 March, the Council's 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games unit hosted a community

event in Hackney Wick. The aim was to inform residents about the opportunities generated by the Games, and the impact they will have on the borough.

Exhibitors included the Olympic Delivery Authority, East London Business Alliance, British Waterways, the Environment Agency and Westfield - Stratford City Development. In all there were 17 exhibitors covering issues ranging from transport, the environment, volunteering,

housing and Hackney Marshes.

Many young people attended the meeting, and had the chance to win sports equipment vouchers by taking part in a Nintendo Wii Olympics competition, and by completing a questionnaire about the exhibition.

## MORE INFO

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e-mail: [helen.goodsell@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:helen.goodsell@hackney.gov.uk); or visit:  
[www.hackney.gov.uk/2012-games](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/2012-games)





## feature



Pictures: Sean Pollock

# Fun for everyone

More than 100 residents tried out new sports and met Paralympic athletes at an event at Clissold Leisure Centre



By  
Emma Britton

**D**ISABLED residents of all ages were encouraged to join in and try a range of sports including trampolining, judo, wheelchair basketball, archery, swimming, dance and Tai Chi.

Residents could also experiment with painting T-shirts, making headaddresses and trying alternative therapies such as Reiki at the Activity For All open day on 21 March.

Dervis Konuralp, local Paralympic swimmer and Hackney's official Olympic and Paralympic Ambassador, and Ian Rose, Paralympic Judo medallist, were on hand to encourage, advise, or just join in.

Dervis said: "Sport is so accessible for children and is a means of achievement for them. It has helped me so much and I hope it can do the same for other young people."

"Not everyone will be a top class athlete, but that doesn't matter. What matters is encouraging everyone to get involved and become active at some level."

Volunteers and young people from the Council's Hackney 2012 Youth Ambassadors scheme lent a hand and ensured the day was a success.

The open days are held three times a year at leisure centres across the borough and are aimed at disabled residents, their families, friends and carers.

They provide an opportunity to try new sports and visit one of Hackney's many leisure centres where they can participate in a range of sports. Non-disabled residents are also welcome.

The events are organised by the Council's 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games Unit; GLL, which runs the borough's leisure services; Hackney Ark; The Key; The Learning Trust; and Sport England.

Kim Wright, the Council's Corporate

**“Sport is so accessible for children and is a means of achievement for them”**

Director for Community Services, said: "Activity For All days are a fantastic way for residents to enjoy trying different sports and making new friends. As Hackney is a host borough for the 2012 Games, the Council hopes to inspire residents of all abilities to get active."

## MORE INFO

Call the 2012 Sports Unit on: 020 8356 3896; e-mail: [thomas.smith@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:thomas.smith@hackney.gov.uk); or visit: [www.hackney.gov.uk/disability-sports](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/disability-sports)

## KEY FACT

Check Hackney Today for details of the next Activity For All open day

[www.hackney.gov.uk](http://www.hackney.gov.uk)





If you are interested in taking up a new sport or want some support in developing your ability, the Council's 2012 Unit can help

**DID YOU KNOW?**



Residents try out the wide range of activities on offer at the Activity For All open day held at Clissold Leisure Centre and (below) Hackney's team of 2012 Youth Ambassadors, who helped out at the event



Pictures: Sean Pollock





## Works Notification

### Proposed Closure of Reading Lane and Wilton Way

In June 2009 residents and businesses in the area were consulted on three proposals:

- 1) Close Reading Lane and Wilton Way and remove the 'No Entry' restriction on Eleanor Road allowing access from Richmond Road OR
- 2) Close Reading Lane only OR
- 3) Close Wilton Way only.

Following consultation the Council has taken a decision to proceed with option 1 on an experimental basis. The scheme will be reassessed in 6 months time when further consultation will take place to find out whether the closure should remain or be removed.

#### Construction

The works are scheduled to start on Saturday 17th April and weather permitting will take approximately 1 week to complete. Reading Lane and Wilton Way will be closed to through traffic from Monday 19th April.



Should you require further information or have any comments on these proposals please contact Hackney Service Centre by telephone on 020 8356 2897 or email [info@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:info@hackney.gov.uk)



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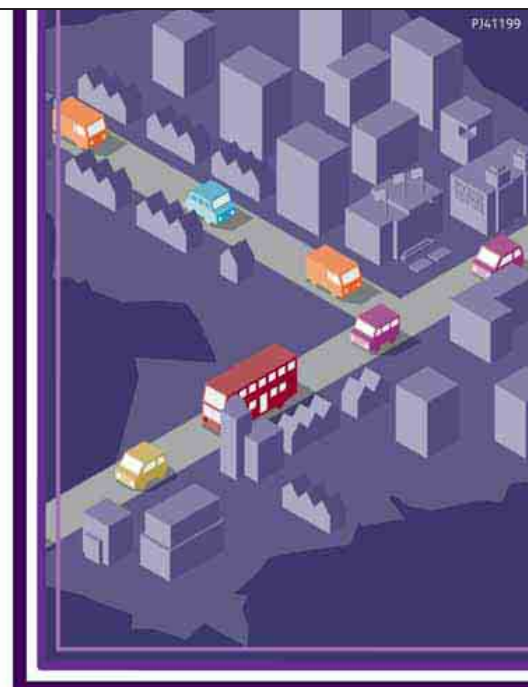
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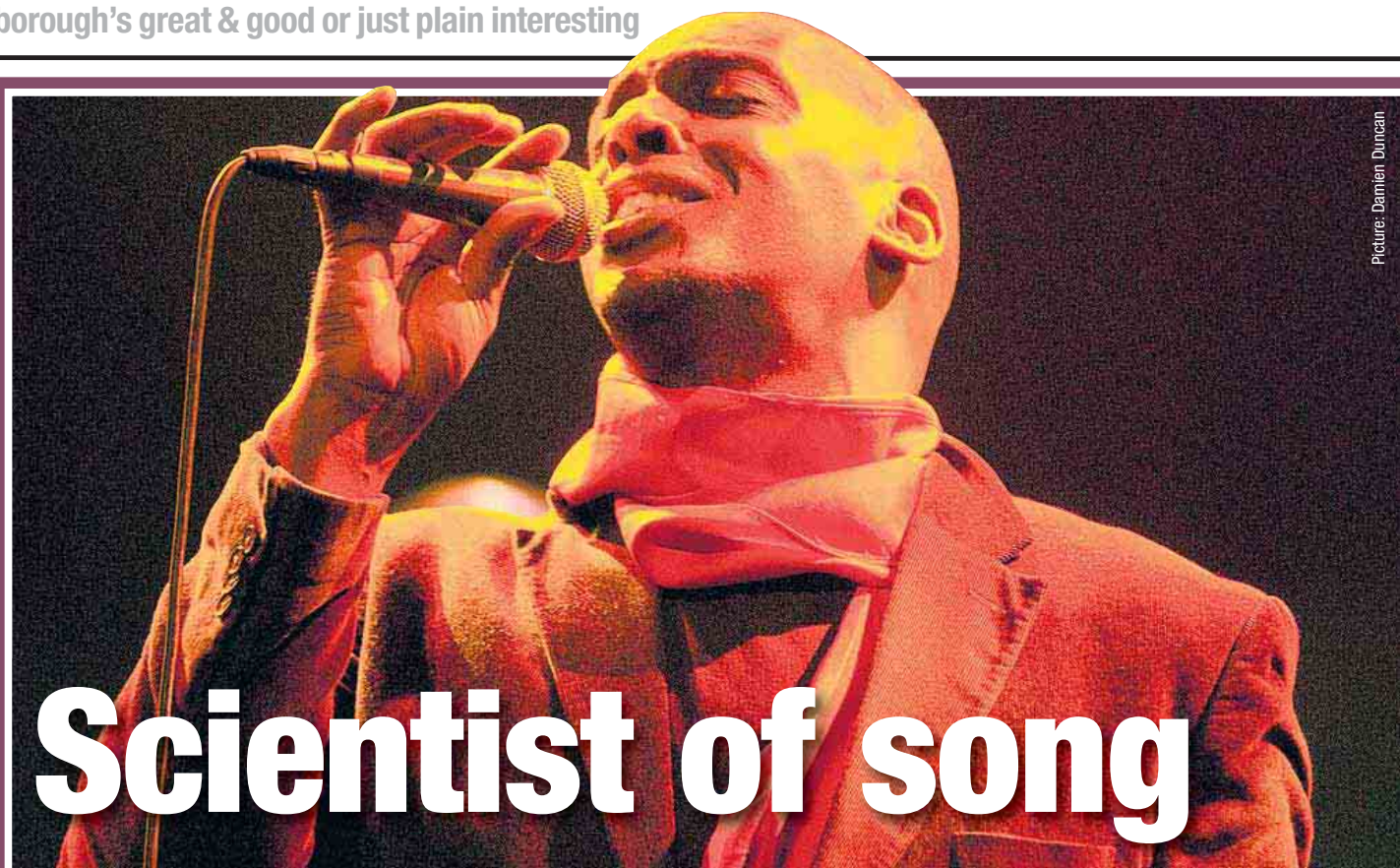


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Hackney is one of the most diverse places in the UK. In this regular feature, we profile the borough's great & good or just plain interesting

## hackneypeople



Picture: Damien Duncan

# Scientist of song

Cleveland Watkiss has been absorbing styles and making music since the 1960s when he grew up in Clapton

By  
**Marcel Reinard**



**F**EW performers could boast collaborations that stretch from the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra, to drum and bass DJs, to Hackney schoolchildren.

With a CV of styles that looks like a shuffle playlist, for more than 35 years Cleveland Watkiss has cemented his unequivocal vocal ability with a near-scientific approach to music, capturing sundry genres in his experiments.

"When I was younger I thought it was just something everyone did, everyone sang," the Hackney-bred singer said. Adding: "The voice is such an immediate, natural instrument and jazz is so demanding, but

welcoming, that it lends itself to other styles."

Born in Clapton in 1959, the third of nine children, life wasn't easy. Cleveland said: "My father passed away when I was nine, so while 1960s Hackney for us was tough, there was community spirit and we had lots of friends.

"I remember my Dad being a DJ and we used to listen to blues, ska and blue beat, then go to school and hear classical. And I took it all in. That's the thing about Hackney: it's an amazing melting pot of styles and I got exposed to everything – Caribbean, African, Asian, and adding classical deepened my appreciation for music."

But it wasn't until a meeting with former Haggerston-based guitarist, Alan Weekes, that his love affair with jazz took off. Aged 14, the two formed their first band,

fusing jazz with reggae and roots while studying Alan's sizeable record collection. "We ended up gigging four nights a week in the West End, which was a good opportunity for us to develop our knowledge and meet some of the new generation at the time like Courtney Pine," he said.

After being picked out to tour with the musical *Hair*, Cleveland went on to co-found the deeply influential 1980s outfit Jazz Warriors, was named the best vocalist in *The Guardian/Wire Awards*, lent his voice to Goldie and opera alike, and worked with some of the greatest musicians of the past 20 years.

Now living in Bishop Stortford, his ties to Hackney remain strong with family still residing in the borough, and through his work with local organisations like the

Hackney Empire. He said: "It's changing really fast, especially over the last 10 years, but I still love it and now the Olympics are coming. The world is going to see Hackney like it's never been seen before. The transformation will be phenomenal and exciting and there'll be opportunities to show Hackney in a good light."

Now he's passing his years of experience to another generation, offering vocal training classes and contributing to degree courses. Last year, pupils from Cleveland's

first school took part in his 50th birthday concert at the London Jazz Festival. He said: "I wanted to open the show with kids singing. So I went back to Rushmore primary school, and worked with 20 kids, showing them about blues and improvising, like ad-libbing and scats.

"They were so up for it, so engaging. It was showing them how they had natural voices, and showing them my philosophy of the voice – that everyone can and everyone should sing."

He continued: "Jazz really lends itself to

children because they are natural improvisers, once they understand that they can embrace it because it's part of them already. Children are naturally spontaneous and creative.

"It was a big moment for a lot of them, they were performing on a stage in the South Bank.

"It transforms them, when you have something at a young age it inspires and gives a spark to find your own level of greatness. That's at the end of the day what it's about, inspiring kids to get to their thing."

### Curriculum Vitae Cleveland Watkiss

<b>1959</b>	Born Clapton, Hackney
<b>1985</b>	Forms Jazz Warriors
<b>1991</b>	Releases first solo album 'Green Chimneys'
<b>1995</b>	Sings on Goldie album 'Timeless'
<b>2007</b>	Stars in acclaimed opera 'Bridgetower'
<b>2009</b>	Turns 50 with a birthday show at Queen Elizabeth Hall



## greenmatters



THE GREEN GENIE

## All your recycling questions answered

**Q: Are there any facilities for recycling cooking oil in the borough?**

A: There are now more organisations able to collect cooking oil – which is usually converted into a fuel – and the Council is currently investigating how best to offer residents an option to recycle their used cooking oil. In the meantime, Hackney has an agreement with neighbouring boroughs that allows residents to use their recycling centres. The site in Waltham Forest accepts cooking oil. For info visit: [www.walthamforest.gov.uk/index/environment/rubbish-recycling/recycling/south-access.htm](http://www.walthamforest.gov.uk/index/environment/rubbish-recycling/recycling/south-access.htm)

## MORE INFO

To ask the Genie a question e-mail: [recycling@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:recycling@hackney.gov.uk) or write to: **Green Genie, Recycling, 2 Hillman Street, E8 1FB.** For more information on recycling in the borough call: 020 8356 6688, or visit: [www.hackney.gov.uk/recycling](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/recycling)



Residents pick up tips – and some free bags of earth – at a Council composting event in 2009

## Fresh soil for free

By  
**Naomi Ocansey**

**R**ESIDENTS who like the idea of growing their own fruit and vegetables can get a head start during Compost Awareness Week.

As part of the week, which runs from 2 to 8 May, people can attend a 'Dr Compost' event on 8 May in Haggerston Park, from 11am to 3pm, where free compost will be on

offer. Experts will be on hand to answer composting queries, and there will also be a working wormery,

**“I learnt so much more about the whole process of food waste recycling”**

activities for children and a seed and seedling swap.

On 7 May, London

Waste Limited will be offering residents a tour of its recycling site, the Ecopark, in Edmonton, where Hackney's food and garden waste is composted. There will be opportunities to join a tour at either 10am or 2pm, after which visitors can take part in other activities.

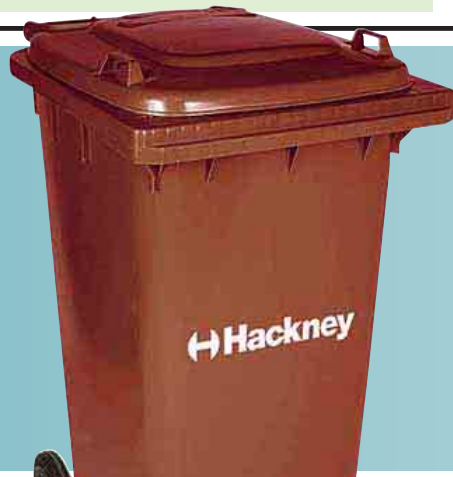
Blue and Brown Bin scheme users who have wondered how grass cuttings and kitchen scraps are transformed into high quality compost will get a chance to learn how the process works, from start

to finish. Hackney resident, Judith Binns, who attended the event last year, said: “I found it very informative, and I learnt so much more about the whole process of food waste recycling.”

“The staff were also very friendly and helpful making my day very enjoyable.”

## MORE INFO

Booking for the Ecopark event is essential. Call Deanna or Roz on: 020 8884 5529 or e-mail: [roz.ruben@londonwaste.co.uk](mailto:roz.ruben@londonwaste.co.uk)



## Garden waste collection times

THE Council has launched a new online service to make it easier for residents to check their Brown Bin service collection times.

Residents who are getting green-fingered now spring is here can recycle most of their garden waste. To search for a collection time, simply enter the street

name. Recycling enthusiast, Kate Macfarlane, from Stoke Newington, said: “I love this time of the year when it means I can get back into the garden. I've always made sure I recycle my garden waste.”

“Hackney has so many lovely green spaces, and it's good to know I'm contributing to

maintaining them.”

When garden waste is disposed along with general waste, it ends up in landfill. Everything collected through Hackney's Brown Bin service however, is recycled and made into compost, which is used to maintain the borough's parks and green spaces. Last year 1,500 tonnes of

garden waste was collected and recycled, including grass cuttings, clippings and branches.

## MORE INFO

To order a bin or find a collection time, visit: [www.hackney.gov.uk/brown\\_bin](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/brown_bin) call: 020 8356 6688; or e-mail: [recycling@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:recycling@hackney.gov.uk)



To order your Green Box, e-mail:  
[recycling@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:recycling@hackney.gov.uk)

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# Record-breaking waste grant

By Gracia Douglas

RECYCLING in the borough has received a boost following a record breaking Government grant to the organisation that arranges the disposal of Hackney's waste.

North London Waste Authority (NLWA), which covers seven London boroughs, was awarded £258.4million on 25 March, for its project to divert 400,000 tonnes of biodegradable household waste from landfill each year by 2020.

The grant will help pay for investment in a range of new waste management facilities and technologies, part of ambitious plans to



NLWA has received £258.4m to help it divert waste from landfill and boost recycling levels in seven boroughs including Hackney

cut waste growth and increase recycling levels – currently at about 25 per cent in Hackney.

All the boroughs need to meet tough regional, national and European targets including increasing recycling and composting rates to 50 per cent, and reducing the amount of

biodegradable material sent for disposal in landfill, from 36 to 15 per cent.

New waste management technologies could include facilities to sort recyclable materials; a plant to generate green energy from organic waste; treatment facilities to reduce and process waste that can't be

recycled; new or refurbished household waste and recycling centres. Steve Douglas, Corporate Director for Neighbourhoods and Regeneration, said: "The award is welcome news for Hackney as a member of the NLWA. It supports our commitment to provide services that will continue to help make the borough cleaner and greener."

The plans should save the boroughs an estimated £900million over 30 years, in comparison to disposing of waste through incineration and landfill.

## MORE INFO

visit: [www.nlwa.gov.uk](http://www.nlwa.gov.uk)

## Here comes the sun, but where's the kingfisher?

RESIDENTS are invited to head down to the River Lea and Regent's Canal and find out how the UK's wildlife is faring after a long, cold winter. This year British Waterways' annual survey will focus on kingfishers, whose numbers may have been hit by the recent harsh conditions. A photography competition is also running alongside the survey. To get people

started, British Waterways has produced a downloadable guide to wildlife that can be found along the nation's canals and rivers.

Nature spotters can enter the competition and record sightings of all wildlife they see on the waterways at: [www.waterscape.com/wildlifesurvey](http://www.waterscape.com/wildlifesurvey)



Have you spotted a kingfisher this spring?

# Real Nappy Week

## 26th April- 2nd May



### Monday 26 April

#### Real Nappy Baby Clothes and Maternity Wear Swap

##### Booking essential

Do you have some real nappies, baby clothes or maternity wear that you no longer need, or maybe you are on the look out for some?

Come along and get swapping.

To book a place call Jean Hughes on 020 7527 5157 or email [jean.hughes@islington.gov.uk](mailto:jean.hughes@islington.gov.uk)

- Cloth swap
- Refreshments provided
- Information stall about real nappies

When: Monday 26 April  
 Where: Islington Ecology Centre  
 Address: Gillespie Park Nature Reserve, 191 Drayton Park, N5 1PH  
 Time: 10:30 am to 11:30 am

### Tuesday 27 April

#### Nappuccino from: The Washable Nappy Company

The Washable Nappy Company will be offering a demo about the different types of real nappies available. If you need more information about reusable nappies, or just need to buy some this is the event for you.

- Nappy demo
- Nappy retailer
- Opportunity to obtain your free nappy voucher on the spot\*
- Refreshments provided

When: Tuesday 27 April  
 Where: Stoke Newington Library (Education Room)  
 Address: 180 Stoke Newington Church Street, N16 0JL  
 Time: 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm

\* In order to obtain your voucher on the day you will need to provide proof of ID, proof of address, and a MAB1 or birth certificate for your baby.

### Thursday 29 April

#### Real Nappy Party

Celebrate the joy of using real nappies!

10:45 Nappy change competition  
 11:15 Musical entertainment for adults and children  
 12:30 Prize winners' announcements

- Freebie bag
- Nappy quiz
- Nappy opinion wall (choose your best nappy and let us know)
- Nappy change competition
- Music
- Refreshments provided
- Lots of fun

When: Thursday 29 April  
 Where: Linden Children's Centre  
 Address: 86-92 Rectory Road, N16 7SH  
 Time: 10:00 am to 1:00 pm

### Friday 30 April

#### Nappuccino: part of the worlds largest Nappuccino

##### Booking essential

Hackney has joined Go Real TV to be part of the biggest Nappuccino in the world. Join us to be part of this huge event!

Please register with Leo on 020 8356 7930 or by email on [leonor.barricartebulnes@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:leonor.barricartebulnes@hackney.gov.uk)

- Nappy demo
- Nappy retailer
- Expert advice from Hackney Real Nappy Network
- Opportunity to obtain your free nappy voucher on the spot\*
- Refreshments provided

When: Friday 30 April  
 Where: Straw Bail Room, Hackney City Farm  
 Address: 1a Goldsmith's Row, E2 8QA  
 Time: 10:30 am to 12:00 noon





**Coming to a bin near you**

**On the Go Recycling will soon be available in Hackney, making it even easier for you to recycle when you are out and about.**

**So what's stopping you?**

Visit [www.hackney.gov.uk/on\\_the\\_go](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/on_the_go)

Your feedback is very important to us. Please tell us what you think of the new bins and recycling services in general, so we can improve your services.

Call the Recycling Hotline on **020 8356 6688** or email [recycling@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:recycling@hackney.gov.uk)

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# Student stars

Clockwise from above: Fashion students who won the team work award; former student and police officer Leroy Logan MBE presents an award to fashion student Terrisha Reid; media student Harry Ayelabola; and carpentry student Patrick Martin

By  
Ruth Garland

**G**UESTS at the Hackney Community College 2010 student awards were treated to a dazzling display of fashion and music.

Each award reflected one of seven Olympic values – excellence, respect, courage, inspiration, friendship, equality and determination.

A group of fashion students, aged 17 to 22, collected the team work award for putting on high profile, national shows last year. Matthew

MacDonald, 27, was recognised for his outstanding academic achievement – straight A grades at AS Level, while carpentry student Patrick Martin, 43, won the vocational achievement award. Media student, Harry Ayelabola, 19, won the contribution to the local community award for his music video to the Hot Property song RIP Pablo. The video, which conveys a powerful message about the impact of knife crime, and refers to the death of

Hackney teenager Robert Levy, was warmly received. The act of courage award went to Eugenia March, 21, from Stoke Newington, who turned her life around and is now studying law in Oxford. Sidra Ghafoor, 18, was acknowledged as the student most likely to succeed in the workplace. Michelle Campbell, who left school aged 10, received the outstanding progress award. Ashley Walmsley, 14, won the young learner award, for remaining committed to his studies despite family bereavement and health problems. Michelle Clarke, 44, picked up the inspiration to

others award for her work in health and social care.

Stephanie Simpey, 16, was praised for her determination and successful work placements through her Society, Health and Development Diploma. Hospitality student Evelyn Ohene, from Homerton, got the effort and determination award. And Kevin Lester, from Clapton, got an award for promoting equality and diversity.

## MORE INFO

Visit the news section of:  
[www.hackney.ac.uk](http://www.hackney.ac.uk)

## The winners

**Teamwork:** Fashion students Blessing Adeyemi, Rhiannon Jones, Alice Mokonzelle, Terrisha Reid, Jade Shackleton, Harriet Strachan, Caroline Twumasi, Suraya Constable, Jennifer Damoah, Francesca Ajufo, Shana-Kay Gordon, Peter Dixon, Gary Delamere, Karema Niles

**Inspiration to others:** Michelle Clarke

**14-19 diploma:** Stephanie Simpey

**Young learner:** Ashley Walmsley

**Outstanding progress:** Michelle Campbell

**Contribution to the local community:** Harry Ayelabola

**Act of courage award:** Eugenia March

**Academic achievement:** Matthew MacDonald

**Promoting equality & diversity:** Kevin Lester

**Vocational achievement:** Patrick Martin

**Most likely to succeed in the workplace:** Sidra Ghafoor

**Effort and determination:** Evelyn Ohene

**Robert Levy Foundation film summer school award:** media students

## NEWS IN BRIEF

### The right note

A STOKE Newington School pupil has won a competition to have his music played at the Royal Opera House (ROH). From May, Michael Ranashinge, 12, (right) will have his 30-second composition played in front of house areas, replacing the traditional bell that signals seating call. The online competition was created by educational resource NUMU and ROH to encourage young people to experiment with music. Michael will take part in orchestration workshops with nine other winners, attend the recording of his fanfare, and hear its premiere in front of a ROH audience. Listen at: [www.roh.org.uk/fanfare](http://www.roh.org.uk/fanfare)



### A cut above the rest

A CARPENTER from Hackney has won plaudits from a national vocational education body.

Anthony Feltham (left), 35, was awarded the City & Guilds medal for excellence last month for his work towards a Level 3 NVQ in bench joinery, site carpentry and furniture crafts. Anthony, who works for an architectural design company, said: "It's given me the confidence to believe that I can achieve whatever I set my heart on. This includes my ultimate goal of working towards a Master Certificate in carpentry, the highest form of accreditation available for our profession which recognises superior mastery."

Anthony is now in the running for a National Lion Award, which celebrates learning, success and achievement, announced later this year.

### Trying to improve lives

A RUGBY event has celebrated a sports initiative that supports students excluded from mainstream education. Young people from pupil referral units (PRUs) – schools for children unable to attend regular education – took rugby master classes watched over by England's most capped rugby union player, Jason Leonard, OBE, at Hackney Community College.

The FairPlay scheme uses respect and teamwork to improve the lives of more than 2,400 young people in PRUs. They can join an eight-week programme that includes sport and personal finance classes to encourage them to continue education, enter training programmes or secure employment. FairPlay is a partnership between charity Wooden Spoon, Barclays Spaces for Sports, the Rugby Football Union and Enterprise Education Trust. For info visit [www.woodenspoon.com](http://www.woodenspoon.com)



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# what's on

## TOP FIVE

There's so much to do in and around Hackney. From theatre to club nights, art exhibitions to community events. Here's our pick of what's on this fortnight:

### EAST END FILM FESTIVAL

Over 200 films in 30 venues, including Hackney's Rio Cinema

► See Cinema

### PARK FITNESS TRAINING

Get in shape for the spring and summer

► See Health, Fitness & Sport

### THE HACKNEY BUBBLE

Screenprints and linocuts from Mr Gresty, plus live music and DJs

► See Nightlife

### DREAM OF GERONTIUS

Hackney Singers perform Elgar's Dream of Gerontius

► Theatre & Entertainment

### WE LIKE POETRY

Come and share a poem by your favourite poet or even by yourself

► See Noticeboard

## ART & EXHIBITIONS

### CINEMA

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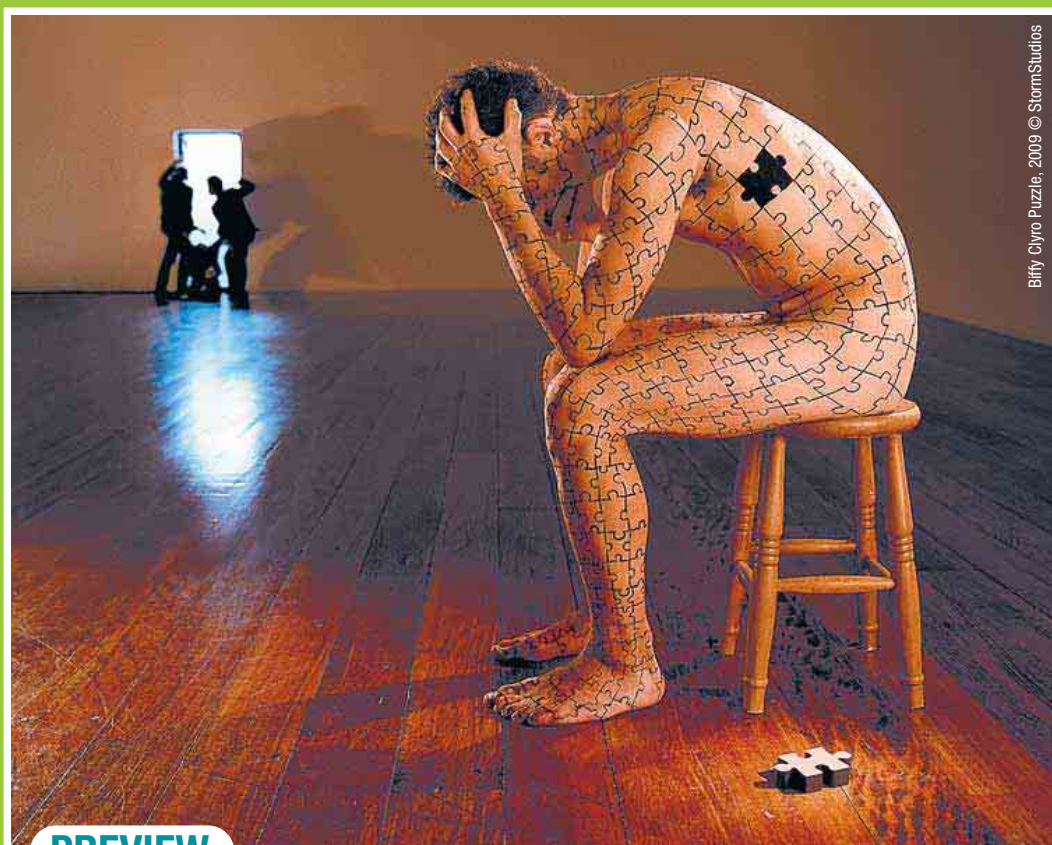
### HEALTH, FITNESS & SPORT

### YOUNG PEOPLE

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Biffy Clyro Puzzle, 2009 © Storm Studios

## PREVIEW

### Storm Thorgerson: Right But Wrong

Idea Generation Gallery, E2, until 2 May

By Tim O'Connor

**BEST** known for the iconic cover of Pink Floyd's 'Dark Side Of The Moon', Thorgerson has produced some of the most celebrated sleeve designs in rock history for names such as Led Zeppelin, Genesis, and Paul McCartney.

Recent shifts towards downloading have seen audiences move away from the album-as-artefact, but Thorgerson's

career has continued to flourish, imbuing albums by the likes of Muse and Biffy Clyro with an ambiguity and enigmatic quality not always readily apparent in the music itself.

Inevitably, pieces related to 'Dark Side Of The Moon' form a large part of the collection, but drawing from a body of work that spans over 40 years 'Right But Wrong' will captivate art aficionados and music buffs alike.

For more info, visit: [www.ideageneration.co.uk](http://www.ideageneration.co.uk)

## also in what's on



NIGHTLIFE



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Led Zeppelin Presence 1976, design by Hipgnosis © Led Zeppelin



Pink Floyd The Dark Side Of The Moon 1973, design by Hipgnosis, © Pink Floyd





### STRANGE SHADOWS: MATT ANTROBUS AND CAMILLA BROADBE

**Until 16 Apr, 10am-6pm**  
A joint exhibition by two award-winning AOP photographers; their diverse approach to the medium produces a fruitful juxtaposition of thought provoking imagery. AOP Gallery, 81 Leonard St, EC2A 4QS.  
**Info: 020 7739 6669; ally@aophoto.co.uk; www.the-aop.org**

### GIVE IT A NAME

**Until 2 May, 12-6pm**  
Group exhibition featuring British painters Gemma Nelson, Eemyun Kang and sculptures from Dutch duo Heringa / Van Kalsbeek. 45 Vyner St, Bethnal Green, E2 9DQ.  
**Info: assistant@vegasgalleries.co.uk; www.vegasgalleries.co.uk**

### DRINK & DIAL

**Every Sat-Sun, until 6 May, 12-6pm**

Drink & Dial is the universal tendency of making regrettable phone calls while intoxicated. Obsession, desire, loss, regret, control, inhibition, compulsion and purging are some of the themes permeating the works on show. 30 Queensdown Rd, E5 8NN.

**Info: 07531 342 128; www.gallery@gmail.com; www.wilsonwilliamsgallery.com**

### NOW'S THE TIME

**22 Apr-20 May, 10am-6pm**  
Black Rat Projects hosts an exhibition bringing together the most important and influential street artists of the past four decades. Arch 461, 83 Rivington St, through Cargo Yard, EC2A 3AY.  
**Info: 020 7684 5635; letitia@outpostmedia.co.uk; www.blackratgallery.com**



### ODEON LEE VALLEY

Clash of the Titans 3D (12A); How to Train Your Dragon 3D (PG); Kick Ass (15); The Blind Side (12A); Whip It (12A).

Odeon, Picketts Lock Lane, N9 0AS.

**Info: 08712 244 007; www.odeon.co.uk**

### RICH MIX

Bird (15); Kick Ass (15); Samson & Delilah (15); The Market (TBC). Rich Mix, 35-47 Bethnal Green Rd, E1 6LA.

**Info: 020 7613 7498; www.richmix.org.uk**

### RIO

Alice in Wonderland (PG); I Am Love (15); The Ghost (15). Rio Cinema, 107 Kingsland High St, E8 2PB.

**Info: 020 7241 9410; mail@riocinema.org.uk; www.riocinema.ndirect.co.uk**

### VUE ISLINGTON

Alice in Wonderland (PG); Cemetery Junction (PG); Kick Ass (15); Nanny McPhee and the Big Bang (U); Shutter Island (15); The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo (18). Vue, 36 Parkfield St, N1 0PS.

**Info: 08712 240 240; www.myvue.com**

### EAST END FILM FESTIVAL

**22 Apr-30 Apr**  
One of the biggest film festivals in London, this year's East End Film Festival will screen over

200 films in 30 venues, including Hackney's Rio Cinema, showcasing premieres from local East London filmmakers as well as films, arts and music events from across the globe.

**Info: film@eastendfilmfestival.com; www.eastendfilmfestival.com**



East End Film Festival



### GO WILD

**19 Apr, 10am-12noon**

Together you and your kids can learn about the importance of wildlife habitats in the garden. Go on a bug hunt, create a bug hotel and sow some wild flower seeds to help out honey bees, insects and birds.

Free. St Mary's Secret Garden, 50 Pearson St, E2 8EL.

**Info: 020 7739 2965; info@stmarysgarden.org.uk; www.stmaryssecretgarden.org.uk**



### BASIC HAIR DRESSING

**19-23 Apr, 11am-3pm**

Want to learn how to maintain Afro and European hair, plait hair and create new hair styles? Then this is the course for you. For more information call Hackney Training Enterprise Agency. 18yrs+. Unit 24-25, The Forum, Independent Place, Shacklewell Lane, E8 2HE.

**Info: 020 7249 4542; mboyce@hyup.co.uk**

### BEE BEAUTIFUL: MAKE YOUR OWN HERBAL BEAUTY PRODUCTS

**24 Apr, 11am-1.30pm**

This workshop will give you hands-on experience in making gorgeous recipes with organic, medicinal herbs from sustainable sources, including lip balm and hand cream. You will learn practical tips to make your garden more attractive to wildlife. Places are limited so book early. £30/£15 conc. St Mary's Secret Garden, 50 Pearson St, E2 8EL.

**Info: 020 7739 2965; info@stmarysgarden.org.uk; www.stmaryssecretgarden.org.uk/education.htm**

### WEEKEND MOSAIC COURSE

**24-25 Apr, 10am-5pm**

Taught by a professional mosaic artist, students will be taught how to use mosaic tools, gaining invaluable tips on the various cutting techniques. The variety of mosaic materials, bases and adhesives will be discussed. £130 includes basic materials. 12yrs+. 140 Millfields Rd, E5 0AD.

**Info: 07941 228 259; jo@jorthormosaic.com; www.jorthormosaic.com**

### SEWING CLASSES

**24-25 Apr, 10am-4pm**

Intensive two-day course, learn how to use and maintain a sewing machine, sew straight and curved seams, apply a zip, waistband and make a skirt. For those new to sewing, opportunity to learn quickly. Future dates are 22-23 May and 19-20 June. 18yrs+. 3 Bradbury St, N16 8JN.

**Info: 07815 905 763; sewingskillsproject@googlemail.com**

### GARDENING COURSE

**22 Apr-27 May, 3.30-6pm**

A six-week gardening course covering all the basics - from sowing seeds to cuttings, planting, pruning, soil and composting. We follow organic gardening practices and will include this in our teaching. £120 for those in paid employment; £60 concs. Further reductions available to Soil Association members. St Mary's Secret Garden, 50 Pearson St, E2 8EL.

**Info: 020 7739 2965; info@stmarysgarden.org.uk; www.stmaryssecretgarden.org.uk**

### CONTEMPORARY MONDAYS

**12 Apr-28 Jun, 6-9pm**

Contemporary Mondays is offering new and innovative ways to practice and explore contemporary dance and creative movement workshops. Sessions open to all who want to experience dance.

Contemporary dance class, £3.50. Creative movement workshop, £5, or £7 for both. Hoxton Hall, 130 Hoxton St, N1 6HS.

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#### REVIEW

## A pretty kind of game

By Jane Gibney

#### The Alchemist, Rosemary Branch Theatre, N1, 24 March

I ALWAYS feel a bit sorry for Ben Jonson. For someone who thought so much of himself and, at the same time, had a bit of a chip on his shoulder, it would be galling to know that he goes down in posterity as a lesser contemporary of Shakespeare. Jonson would never use one word when 25 would do, and for modern audiences his persistent use of 17th century slang can be hard going. It was therefore a treat to see this skilfully pruned version of *The Alchemist*. The very excellent cast roared through this ruthlessly comic satire of greed, gullibility and confidence trickery, which effectively exposes the trough-grunting materialism, or as they put it, the 'greed is good hustle of the noughties'. The setting was inventive and offered opportunities for comedic coincidences.

Directed by Scarlett Plouviez Comnas, the young actors were constantly on the move – in and out of doors, arguing, attacking, teasing, despairing, showing every layer of society at its worst, and keeping the audience roaring with laughter. The team worked together like clockwork. I can't single out any actor because they were so much together, responding and bringing out the comedic best in each other. There were some very good double performances. A character would be shoved into a cupboard and the actor emerges moments later, unrecognisable, as a different person. The virtuosity was stunning. This was one-and-a-half hours of splendid entertainment.

This is a venue entirely undaunted by its modest size. If the reduced *Alchemist* is anything to go by, the upcoming opera double bill from Minotaur Music Theatre should be worth a look.

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## Competition

## Win tickets to Land of Kings

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For your chance to win a pair of tickets, send a postcard to Land of Kings competition, Hackney Today, Communications, Room 82, Town Hall, Mare Street, E8 1EA; e-mail: [htnews@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:htnews@hackney.gov.uk) by 12pm on 19 April. Submissions must include an address and contact telephone number. Winners will be pulled out of a hat.

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# Dangerous Games

By Marcel Reinard

**1936, Arcola Theatre, 27 Arcola Street, E8  
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THERE are innumerable reasons why 1936 became the most notorious Olympic Games of recent times. The International Olympic Committee (IOC) chose a fascist state to host the XI Olympiad; then there was Adolf Hitler's promotion of racial supremacy; the international boycott debate; the first time a sporting event had been used as a political propaganda tool; giant leaps made in sports journalism; and at its epicentre, Jesse Owens, a US black athlete who became a superstar in Nazi Germany, while still facing segregation in his homeland.

Athletics coach and playwright Tom McNab depicts the lead-up to the 1936 Games in his latest work '1936', exploring the events that made Hitler's Germany the world's focal point. Placing scenes between Hitler and his Minister of Propaganda, Joseph Goebbels, alongside debates from the IOC and the American Amateur Athletics Union, the play reveals some of the political and cultural tensions leading up to the Olympics and the stories of the athletes involved. It also serves as a reminder of the political twists sport can take in the international spotlight – from the civil rights 'Black Power' salute of 1968 to the Tibetan protests outside Beijing's Bird's Nest. **For more info, call 020 7503 1646; or visit [www.arcolatheatre.com](http://www.arcolatheatre.com)**

## DREAM OF GERONTIUS, HACKNEY SINGERS

**17 Apr, 7.30-10pm**

Hackney Singers perform Elgar's Dream of Gerontius. £13/£8 concs. St John-at-Hackney Church, Lower Clapton Rd, E5 0PD. **Info: 07930 940 522; [www.hackneysingers.org.uk](http://www.hackneysingers.org.uk); [www.hackneysingers.org.uk/concerts.htm](http://www.hackneysingers.org.uk/concerts.htm)**



The Hackney Singers

## ADAM FOULDS

**22 Apr, 7-10pm**

Young British author Adam Foulds talks about his latest book, The Quickening Maze, shortlisted for the 2009 Booker Prize. Based on real events in Epping Forest, it tells the story of the nature poet John Clare, his first incarceration in a mental asylum and his relationship

with Alfred Tennyson. Pages of Hackney, 70 Lower Clapton Rd, E5 0RN.

**Info: 020 8525 1452; [leanor@pagesofhackney.co.uk](mailto:leanor@pagesofhackney.co.uk); [www.pagesofhackney.co.uk](http://www.pagesofhackney.co.uk)**

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**ANATOLIA COMEDY BIN**  
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The Comedy Bin is a comedy show featuring around 15 open stand-up spots per night. Free entry. 18yrs+. Anatolia Bar, 253 Mare St, E8 3NS. **Info: 07894 991 299; [comedybin@googlemail.com](mailto:comedybin@googlemail.com); [www.comedybin.tk](http://www.comedybin.tk)**



YOUNG PEOPLE

## THE MIRACLE

**27-28 Apr, 6.30-7.30pm**

A storm sends a troubled community out onto the streets, as they stand in the rain a young girl discovers she has a supernatural ability to interpret their darkest problems. Written by Lin Coghlan. 10-16yrs. 27 Arcola St, E8 2DJ. **Info: 020 7503 1646; [boxoffice@arcolatheatre.com](mailto:boxoffice@arcolatheatre.com)**



The Miracle



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## TEA DANCE

**16 Apr, 1-4pm**

Tea dance for people aged 50 and over with entertainment from Mr Wonderful. £3. Stoke Newington Town Hall, Church St, N16 0JR. **Info: 020 8356 4676; [jean.hector@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:jean.hector@hackney.gov.uk)**



Try a tea dance

## CONSERVATION/PLANNING ADVICE SURGERY

**24 Apr, 12-2pm**

Regular events where experts will be on hand to answer your questions and give advice on built environment issues, helping you to understand conservation and the planning process in Hackney. Free. Clapton Library, Northwold Rd, E5 8RA. **Info: 020 8806 4003; [lisa@hackneysociety.org](mailto:lisa@hackneysociety.org); [www.hackneysociety.org](http://www.hackneysociety.org)**

## TEENAGE MOTHERHOOD DEBATE

**29 Apr, 7-8.30pm**

This event brings together policy experts, campaigners and feminist scholars to consider teenage pregnancy: a problem or a young woman's right to choose motherhood? £8/ £6 concs. The Women's Library, 25 Old Castle St, E1 7NT. **Info: 020 7320 2222; [moreinfo@thewomenslibrary.ac.uk](mailto:moreinfo@thewomenslibrary.ac.uk); [www.thewomenslibrary.ac.uk](http://www.thewomenslibrary.ac.uk)**



The Women's Library

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## WE LIKE POETRY

**Every Wed, 11.30am-12.30pm**

Come and share a poem by your favourite poet or even by yourself and have a great natter over a cuppa. Over 50s only, membership applies. Dalston Methodist Church, Richmond Rd, E8 3HY. **Info: 020 7923 8690; [nazmun-khanam@thesharp.org.uk](mailto:nazmun-khanam@thesharp.org.uk); [www.thesharp.org.uk](http://www.thesharp.org.uk)**

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## what's on

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This is the way to submit your event listing. Please see the guidance notes on the website for further information.

We reserve the right to edit any material. No submission is guaranteed a listing.

## Competitions

**Hackney Today offered readers a chance to win tickets to see Kid Creole at the Barbican in issue 228.**

The lucky winner was S. Cullen, from E8







# younghackney

A page written by young people in Hackney



## Shaping the future

L to R: Hackney Legacy Youth Panel members Firdaus Yusuf, Sam Collins & Shaneice Bailey

By  
Emma Britton

**“I want to find out about what's happening, first hand”**

A GROUP of young people have a unique opportunity to help shape the future of the Olympic Park.

The Legacy Youth Panel is made up of 13 to 21-year-olds from the five host boroughs for the London 2012 Games: Hackney, Tower Hamlets, Greenwich, Newham and Waltham Forest. It has been set up by the Olympic Park

Legacy Company to get teenagers involved in the long-term planning and urban design of their area. Over the next five months, the 22 panel members, five from Hackney, will visit the Park to work with planners, architects and decision-makers to form a picture of

what developments would make a difference to their lives – as well as the kind of events they would like to see in the Park after 2012.

Shaneice, 14, from Cardinal Pole Catholic School said: “I joined the panel to develop my confidence and share young people's views with others. I'm interested in the Olympics and want to find out about what's happening first hand.”

Tarick Amin El-Filali, 18 from BSix College, added: “I have been inspired by the Games coming to London

and wanted to find out more about it and what it will mean for us.”

Part of panel members' role is to visit schools to speak to other young people, teachers and parents about the Olympic legacy. Their work will culminate in an summer event where they will present their experiences to other young people from the host boroughs.

### MORE INFO

For more info visit: [www.legacycompany.co.uk](http://www.legacycompany.co.uk)



Charlie, nine, is a Year Four pupil at Shacklewell Primary School, E8. He went to Ligodho School in Kenya with his mum Maria. This is his report.



### African adventure

LAST month my mum and I went to Kenya to visit a school near Lake Victoria called Ligodho School. My mum is an architect and has designed it. She also helped raise the money to build it. It was the first time she had seen it.

We met Ben Okita's family, who is our friend who lives there, and then we went to the new nursery. The nursery had lots of children in it. We gave out sweets.

Then we went to the reception class and it had a sketch of the nursery on the wall. We looked around the school. The children were aged between five and 16. They all wore the same white and blue school uniforms.

The classrooms were quite bare. They had a blackboard and desks which had two children on each one. They didn't have a computer (like in our classes) and there wasn't a carpet area. But the classrooms were big and cool inside.

We then went to the head teacher's office (who was called Ernest) and we gave out all the donations that pupils, parents and staff from Shacklewell school had collected. The children got their water from the water pump which was in the playground. There was no electricity at the school, but they were getting some the day we were there. It was fun because we took balloons which we blew up so that we could play with them. We also took letters which Shacklewell children had written, and the Ligodho children will write back.



Some of Rhiannon's latest collection

## A bright future in fashion

A YOUNG fashion student who only learnt to use a sewing machine a year ago, has sold her latest collection to an exclusive fashion boutique.

The clothes by Rhiannon Jones, 17, who has appeared on BBC News wearing one of her flamboyant outfits, were snapped up by Soho-based Machine-A, which specialises in showcasing burgeoning designers.

Rhiannon moved to London from a Yorkshire village, aged just 16, determined to pursue her dream of becoming a designer, and signed up to a fashion course at Hackney Community College (HCC) in Hoxton.

She has already set up her own label, Bolshie, and her creations have been worn by several bands and also been featured online, in magazines, and on TV.

She said: “I was always determined to make it big and am really happy the way things are progressing so far. I knew what I wanted to achieve and focussed on my goals and now it is paying off.”

To find out more about courses at HCC call: 020 7613 9123 or e-mail: [info@hackney.ac.uk](mailto:info@hackney.ac.uk) To view Rhiannon's designs visit: [www.bolshie.yolasite.com](http://www.bolshie.yolasite.com)



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**health**

An artist's impression of how the Athletes Village health centre could look after the London 2012 Games

# 2012 health centre

By  
**Marcel Reinard**

**W**ORLD-CLASS healthcare facilities, developed for Olympic and Paralympic athletes, will be used by the local community after the London 2012 Games.

Planning permission has been approved to build a new health centre in the Athletes' Village adjacent to

the Olympic Park to meet the healthcare needs of the area. Services offered in the 5,000sq metre building will include multiple GP surgeries, a children's clinic, physiotherapy, X-Rays, and ultrasounds.

After the Games, the Village will also be the site of 2,818 new homes, of which 1,380 will be affordable housing, plus parks and other community facilities such as a cafe, gym, youth centre and flexible training and

meeting spaces. Funding will be jointly provided by the Olympic Delivery Authority (ODA) and the Department of Health, and delivered by NHS Newham.

Building work is due to start on site later this year; construction on the wider Athletes' Village is on track with three of 11 residential plots structurally complete.

ODA Chief Executive, David Higgins, said: "Our plans for a new polyclinic in the Athletes' Village will put

**A legacy of world-class healthcare facilities at the heart of our regeneration ambitions**

a legacy of world-class healthcare facilities at the heart of our regeneration ambitions for East London."

## NEWS IN BRIEF



The memory group will help people of Caribbean heritage living with dementia

### Sharing memories

THE first dementia social support service tailored to an ethnic minority group been launched in Hackney. The Alzheimer's Society, together with Hackney Caribbean Elderly Organisation, has set up the 'Caribbean Memory Group': a social and health resource using memory-based activities to aid those from a Caribbean heritage living with dementia.

A focus will also be on reducing isolation with chances to receive relaxation techniques such as massage. The group will also support those worried about memory problems, and carers, by creating a network of elders. The next meeting will be on 30 April at Hackney Caribbean Elderly Organisation, 39 Leswin Road, N16. Future meetings will be on the second and fourth Fridays of each month, from 11am-1pm.

For info call: Amy Claringbold on: **020 8533 0091**; or e-mail: [amy.claringbold@alzheimers.org.uk](mailto:amy.claringbold@alzheimers.org.uk)

### Planning for the future

AN Age Concern Hackney project aimed at middle-aged men is hoping to help them cope in later life.

The charity began its 'Forward Thinking' sessions this month to assist men, aged between 50 and 65, to plan for their future through discussions about budgeting, health care, housing, pensions, overcoming social isolation and other issues.

The charity has found that elder men in Hackney often have poorer health, live shorter lives than elsewhere, and are therefore a particular priority.

The National Endowment for Science Technology and the Arts has pledged £50,000 to promote the sessions.

It is hoped those taking part will become advocates of the project. If the programme is successful, it will be widened to include women and other areas.

Juliet Formby, of Age Concern Hackney's Agewell programme, said: "This project can help make later life a more fulfilling and positive experience."

The trial continues until May. For info call: **020 7241 5909** or e-mail: [julietformby@ageconcernhackney.org.uk](mailto:julietformby@ageconcernhackney.org.uk)

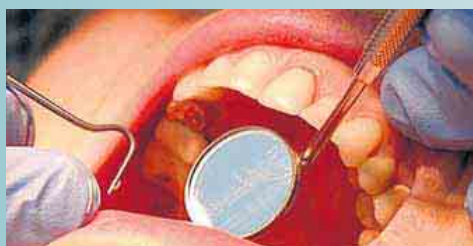


Age Concern hopes to prepare middle-aged men for later life

## New ways to better oral health

A DENTAL practice in Hackney is set to trial new ways to improve services for patients and measure quality.

Following a nationwide review of dentistry, NHS City and Hackney is due to pilot a new system that will see dentists directly rewarded for the number of patients seen; the level of treatment each receives; and the quality of care.



Professor Jimmy Steele, who led the review of NHS dental services, made more

than 30 recommendations to help improve oral health, and increase and

ensure high quality dental care for patients in his June 2009 report. Chief Dental Officer, Barry Cockcroft, said: "The sites piloting Professor Steele's recommendations will be at the forefront of delivering high quality services built around patients' needs."

The NHS City and Hackney trial starts this month.



## There's more than one way to get across Hackney...

...and now is the perfect time to try cycling.

During the North London Line improvement works why not get active, choose your own timetable and see more of the borough?

For more information about cycling in Hackney, including how to sign up for free cycle lessons and to get a free map of cycling routes, email [movegreener@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:movegreener@hackney.gov.uk) or visit [www.hackney.gov.uk/movegreener](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/movegreener)

Replacement buses will operate during the Stratford to Gospel Oak London Overground closure (20 Feb – 31 May). Visit TfL's journey planner for more travel options [www.tfl.gov.uk](http://www.tfl.gov.uk)



Did you know it only takes:



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to cycle from Hackney Central to Highbury & Islington along quieter roads recommended by cyclists?

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## The Underoccupation Cash Incentive Scheme

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Phone: 0208 356 5765 or 0208 356 5769  
or 020 8356 2977 or 020 8356 5605.





# hackneyhistory



**PICK'D** up on Sunday the 21st infant, a Livery-  
Waistcoat, a Fustian Frock, and a Pair of Breeches, in a Field near  
Hackney, hid in the Tares growing there. Whoever has lost them,  
and can describe the same, may have them again, on paying for this  
Advertisement, and giving an Acknowledgment to the Finder. Enquire  
at the Flying Horse in Hackney.



Last week a farmer near Hackney having been  
out a shooting, on his return home to Wick-  
Farm, placed his gun in a corner of the room,  
and soon after falling asleep in a chair, when a  
favourite monkey, which went loose about the  
house, playing with the gun, it went off, and  
killed the farmer on the spot. *January 1751*



# Read all about it

The Hackney Archives' bound volumes of original newspapers (above) looking for stories on microfilm (inset) and a selection of news and advertising from days gone by

By **Sally England,**  
Local Studies Librarian

**O**NE of the most heavily-used resources at Hackney Archives is its large collection of local newspapers.

This includes the majority of newspapers published in the Hackney area dating back to the 19th century.

The first local paper, the Shoreditch Observer & Hackney Express, existed from 1857 to 1912, then became the Shoreditch Observer until 1915. The Hackney Gazette began life in 1864, but no copies survive from before 1869.

Other titles include the Eastern Post (1868-1938), Hackney Mercury (1885-1910), and North London Guardian (1888-1916).

The majority of the newspapers are available on microfilm. This may be because no originals have survived locally, but more importantly, the original issues cannot be consulted due to their fragile state – newsprint is only intended to last for a few days. Print-outs however, can easily be made from the microfilms.

The Archive also holds sets of cuttings originally gathered from newspapers by libraries in the three former boroughs of Hackney, Shoreditch, and

Stoke Newington. Some volumes include local stories taken from 18th century newspapers.

The most significant local paper for researching history and events is the Hackney Gazette, though the Shoreditch Observer & Hackney Express is useful for reports on vestry meetings – an early form of local government. The Hackney Mercury, North London Guardian and Stoke Newington & Hackney Observer all provide good alternative coverage. As well as historical papers, the Archives' collection also contains a full set of Hackney Today. The

**STOKE NEWINGTON'S  
MODEL FLATS.**  
OPENED BY MINISTER OF HEALTH.  
SCHEME TO RID BOROUGH  
OF ITS SLUMS.

Monday was married at St. John's Hack-  
ney, Capt. James West, of the Orange Re-  
giment of Militia, to the agreeable Miss  
Agnes Arnold, of Shacklewell, a young Gen-  
tlewoman endowed with every Requisite to  
make the Marriage State truly happy.

Council publication began life as a monthly magazine, with the first edition issued in December 1993, it was later developed into a fortnightly newspaper, with the first edition coming out in September 2000.

Although some local papers published up to three editions a week, they could have as few as four pages, and until the 1930s, the front page was usually given over to advertising. In the 19th century they featured reports on national events, local government, and crime, with only a smattering of what would now be considered local news. Then, as now, some papers had political

allegiances: the Hackney Gazette supported the Radicals; the Stoke Newington Times was a Labour paper; while the Hackney Mercury was Conservative. Surviving inquest reports are held at the London Metropolitan Archives in Clerkenwell, but these are only a sample selection. However, inquests were often reported in local newspapers. Like their modern counterparts, local papers also ran features for

women, but illustrations, other than those in advertisements, were rare before the 1930s. Adverts, as much as stories and articles, are a wonderful evocation of times gone by.

A vivid picture of local life as recorded in newspapers can be found in 'Late Extra! Hackney In The News' by former Borough Archivist, David Mander. *Contact the Archives for more details on this and how to consult its newspaper collection.*

## MORE INFO

Hackney Archives – based at 43 De Beauvoir Road N1 – looks after Council administrative records and archives dating back to 1700. It also keeps records for individuals and organisations with links to Hackney. Call: 020 7241 2886, or visit: [www.hackney.gov.uk/archives](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/archives)





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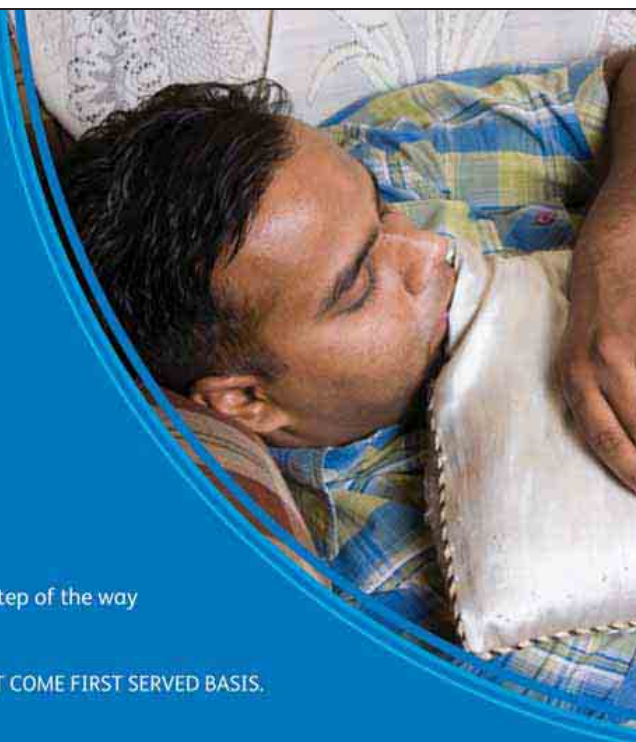
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**Hackney**







“It's great to see young people get out of breath without noticing it, simply because they get carried away by the fun”

Our Lady and St Joseph's RC Primary School pupils Aoife (left) and Georgia, both eight

# Freewheeling fun

By  
Gabriel Harriss



A RANGE of bikes of various shapes and sizes were sampled by two Hackney primaries as part of a scheme to encourage exercise.

The schools, Our Lady and St Joseph, and St

Scholasticas, received a visit from Get Cycling, a community interest company that tours the UK promoting cycling and health to students.

The events took place over 15 and 16 March. Both schools were treated to a drama presentation about the importance of exercise and diet, followed by practical sessions on bikes, trikes,

tandems, fun cycles and recumbents.

The visit was put together by the Council's School Travel Plan team.

Get Cycling's Managing Director, Jim McGurn, said: "It's great to see young people get out of breath without noticing it, simply because they get so carried away by the fun of it all."

He added that a cyclist

consumes a fiftieth of the oxygen used by a motor vehicle. And that bicycles can travel four times faster than walking, using a fifth of the energy.

## MORE INFO

For more details of school travel plans, e-mail: [georgie.burchell@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:georgie.burchell@hackney.gov.uk)

## NEWS IN BRIEF



### International road safety

SCHOOLS in Hackney have been swapping road safety tips with their counterparts in Italy.

Using video conferencing, 11 to 18-year-olds from Mustard School, N1; Petchey Academy, E8; and former students of Our Lady's Convent High School, N16, shared their experiences with pupils from the Daniela Mauro School in Pessano con Bornago, Italy.

Despite having differing road safety conventions – Italy's young people favouring mopeds while Hackney's youth mostly use buses and bikes – both understood the increasing need to travel in a safe and sustainable way wherever they are in the world.

Gaining tips on moped safety also proved useful for staff from the Council's Road Safety Team, which organised the initiative. As mopeds become more popular with the young in Hackney, the team is looking at how this mode of transport can be made safer.

For info on the project, future exchanges, and the borough's road safety policy, e-mail: [sandra.agbabiaka@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:sandra.agbabiaka@hackney.gov.uk)

### Travels in the cone zone

THE company responsible for road maintenance in Hackney has embarked on a public information campaign.

Led by 6ft traffic cone mascot, 'Kerby', VolkerHighways staff handed out safety advice in Kingsland Shopping Centre on 26 March to help people find their way through roadworks. Drivers, cyclists and pedestrians were advised to follow signs carefully and reminded roadworkers often use dangerous industrial tools and machinery.

The Protect Our People campaign is supported by the Council, as well as community groups Disability Hackney, London Cycling Campaign in Hackney, and Hackney Living Streets. Volker Highways is keen to speak to local schools and pupils about safety around roadworks in the future.

For more info call: 08456 017 087; or e-mail: [protectourpeople@volkerhighways.co.uk](mailto:protectourpeople@volkerhighways.co.uk)



Kerby at Kingsland Shopping Centre

## £3.5m boost for station

HACKNEY Central station is set to undergo major access improvements after a multi-million pound Government pledge.

£3.5million is due to be spent on a new bridge and two lifts, as part of a wider project to make stations step-free for the start of the Olympic and Paralympic Games in 2012.

The improvements will

make it easier for sports fans with limited mobility to get to the Games by public transport.

Hackney Central will be a key station for spectators heading to the Olympic Village in Stratford on London Overground services.

Work is due to start next year with completion in time for the Games opening ceremony.



Hackney Central station at present



Hackney is a fast improving Council, serving one of the UK's most diverse populations. Regeneration is improving housing, public services and transport links. Crime is falling. Exam results are up. The Olympics are coming...



## Job vacancies

### Customer & Corporate Services

#### Senior Building Support Officer

£25,515-£27,009

Apply by 25 April

Your responsibilities will include daily inspections of buildings, ensuring they are clean, safe and fit for purpose, and reporting and fixing any problems. This will require you to manage contractors, as well as facilitating meetings and other events.

A strong customer service focus is key, with a broad understanding of facilities management and knowledge of Microsoft IT packages. You will need to be an experienced trade professional with knowledge of carpentry and plumbing, as well as general handy person skills. A background in supervising junior staff and building contractors within a multi-discipline environment is required. You will need to be able to liaise with external and internal clients.

#### Senior HR Advisor (Best Use of Resources)

£35,055-£37,851

Three-year fixed-term contract.

Apply by: 16 April

We are searching for credible HR professionals with significant experience at strategic and operational HR level to join our well established team. You will be a good problem solver, keen to apply fresh

people management strategies in a way that adds significant value to the organisation. We need good relationship builders with excellent communication skills, who are able to communicate at all levels and sell ideas and influence senior managers. To be considered for this role you must have worked in a similar role providing HR services to senior managers. Experience of managing staff and negotiating with trade unions is essential.

#### Business Development Manager

£35,055-£37,851

Involves a rota to cover evenings and weekends.

Apply by: 25 April

The Council's Grade II listed Stoke Newington Town Hall has recently been refurbished. The Council Chamber and Assembly Hall are now open for public hire, offering a stunning, refurbished Art Deco venue for corporate, ceremonial and community events.

We are seeking proactive, talented individuals to join our newly created events team. You need a good understanding of venue marketing and the ability to manage direct marketing campaigns. Your skills will include the business acumen to lead on the review of price structures and manage financial data. Staff and performance management experience are a must.

We want you to maximise income generation by identifying room hire/letting opportunities and applying dynamic sales and marketing techniques. It will be important to establish and proactively maintain relationships with key organisations, community groups, local businesses and agencies/venue booking agents.

You will also need to keep abreast of competitor activities, including prices and services – recommending any necessary changes in response to this competitor activity.

### Neighbourhoods & Regeneration

#### School Crossing Patrol

£16,104 pro-rata

Approx 10 hours a week in school term time

Apply by: 25 April

Working outdoors, in all weathers, each morning and afternoon on school days during term time, you will ensure that school children are able to cross the road safely. All necessary training and uniforms are provided. Responsible, assertive and positive in your approach to the role, you will have the ability to give clear and concise instructions to pedestrians and motorists. You will need to take responsibility for the health and safety of yourself and the people using the crossing. No special skills or qualifications are needed, but experience of working with, or caring for, children would be desirable.

#### MORE INFO

For more details, call: 020 8356 8845, or visit: [www.hackney.gov.uk/jobs](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/jobs)

### Children & Young People's Services

#### Social Worker

£30,345 - £37,851

Apply by: 18 April

Hackney aims to be the leading social work service for children and families in the country, and to reduce the number children in care by providing intensive and high-quality therapeutic and practical support for families.

We have several units up and running and are recruiting skilled social workers who are committed to an evidence based approach and are excited about the impact they can have.

We know that social workers need support from the organisation they work for; freedom to practise at a high level; and a range of intellectual abilities and emotional resilience to bring to the task.

#### MORE INFO

For more details, call: Sandra Segal on: 020 8356 3798

## Job Profile

### Brigid Brennan

School Crossing Patrol Manager, talks to Hackney Today about the School Crossing Patrol role

#### What are the main responsibilities?

The main purpose of the job is to assist school children in crossing the road safely at school opening and closing times, although you can help anyone cross who needs assistance.

#### In what ways is it challenging?

Certain roads in Hackney are extremely busy, and drivers and cyclists do not always obey the stop sign, even though this is against the law.

Also you will need to ensure pedestrians are patient and wait for you to stop the traffic before they cross the road.



Hackney's School Crossing Patrol staff on the Town Hall steps

#### How is this job rewarding?

This is a great job for someone who enjoys working outdoors and being the friendly face of road safety for Hackney. You can help educate the children in how to cross the road safely, as parents sometimes do not set a

good example or are not available to accompany their children.

#### Are there any special requirements for fulfilling the role?

The person needs to be reliable, friendly, helpful and take the safety of children seriously.



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## Recipes straight from the ovens at Hoxton Apprentice

[www.hoxtonapprentice.com](http://www.hoxtonapprentice.com)



Darren Punter, 26, came to Training for Life in 2009, after a nine month spell out of work. His employment advisor suggested he meet staff at the Hoxton Apprentice. Restaurant manager Raj Soor, and training/employability manager, Jeanita Snowdon, gave Darren the career advice he needed to help fulfil his dreams of becoming a chef.

Darren is now learning front of house skills and also receiving training in the kitchen. His inspirations are Marco Pierre White, and Calvin Lee, the Basic Skills Trainer at Training for Life, who helped Darren to improve his reading and writing skills before he began his apprenticeship.

Darren said: "I've met some really great people and can't wait to develop my skills further. Training for Life do what they say; help you gain the confidence and skills you need to secure employment and move forward. I'm enjoying serving and looking after customers, as well as getting training in the kitchen."

Darren hopes to one day own his own restaurant, and eventually expand his chain of restaurants worldwide.

## Rum flavoured banana fritters

Serves 2

Preparation time  
Under 30 mins

Cooking time  
10-30 mins



### Ingredients

- Enough oil for deep frying (usually to cover the bottom of the pan)
- 110g/4oz self-raising flour
- 1 tsp baking soda
- 2 free-range eggs
- Splash of iced, fizzy water
- 4 bananas, sliced on the diagonal
- For the rum flavoured sauce**
- 100g/3½oz caster sugar
- 85ml/3fl oz double cream
- 85g/3oz butter
- 50g/1½oz hazelnuts, crushed
- 1 tbs of your favourite rum

### Method

- Heat the oil in a large saucepan (do not leave unattended). Mix flour, baking soda, eggs and fizzy water to make batter
- Dip slices of banana to coat, and fry in hot oil for two to three minutes, or until crisp and golden. Remove with a slotted spoon and drain excess oil on kitchen paper
- Caramelize sugar by heating gently in a hot pan until golden. Add cream, butter and rum. Bring to the boil, reduce for a minute or two, then add hazelnuts. Pour over the fritters
- Serve you banana fritters with chocolate and hazelnut ice-cream for that extra touch.

Compiled by Zerin Atma

The Hoxton Apprentice is a social enterprise set up to train unemployed Hackney people – both in the kitchen and front of house.

Six-month apprenticeships prepare people for the workplace and give them the chance to gain an NVQ in Hospitality. Profits are returned to Training For Life, the charity which operates the restaurant, to deliver more training for unemployed people.

If you would like to offer an apprentice a job, or become an apprentice yourself, call Jeanita Snowdon on: 020 7749 2800.

For more info, visit:  
[www.hoxtonapprentice.com](http://www.hoxtonapprentice.com)

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apprentice

## Drink debate

RESIDENTS have the chance to be part of a London-wide study on the relationships communities have with alcohol, and the impact drink has on people's lives.

Visitors to the London Drink Debate website can read a report based on the findings of a consultation last year, as well as watch a series of vox pops featuring ordinary Londoners having their say.

The debate is led by the Regional Public Health Group, the body responsible for supporting London health service delivery. It aims to



Join other Londoners and have your say about alcohol

understand Londoners' attitude to alcohol; look at how much people consume; and learn how they perceive alcohol-related health and social issues. The report will be discussed by a panel of high-profile Londoners later this year, with the hope that the debate will lead to

the development of a London-wide approach to tackling the issues caused by alcohol. The survey runs until the end of May. To read the report and have your say, visit:  
[www.londondrinkdebate.co.uk/about.LDD/communityconsultation](http://www.londondrinkdebate.co.uk/about.LDD/communityconsultation)

## Meetings

### COUNCIL MEETINGS

12 April	Licensing sub-committee	7pm
15 April	Licensing sub-committee	7pm

ALL MEETINGS AT HACKNEY TOWN HALL, MARE STREET, E8, UNLESS INDICATED OTHERWISE.  
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[WWW.HACKNEY.GOV.UK](http://WWW.HACKNEY.GOV.UK)



### TENANTS & RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION MEETINGS

#### IN APRIL

St Mary's Estate	13	Keir Hardie Estate	20
Shepherds Market	14	Burma, Arakin & Clissold	20
Nelson Mandela	14	Follingham Court	21
Manor	15	Shrubland Estate	26
Haberdasher Estate	15	Trelawney Estate	26
Jack Watts Estate	15	Colville Estate	28
Radley Square & Southwold	15	Laburnum Estate	28
Lea View House	19		

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## Sudoku

For solutions see:  
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### Easy

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### Medium

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## FLEET OF FOOT

### Norman Harding, Corporate Fleet Manager

NORMAN joined the Council just over three years ago, with a long track record of working in fleet management for local authorities.

He leads a team of five, including an engineer, and together they carry out a wide range of duties to ensure the Council's vehicles comply with legislation, as well as identifying how the fleet can be used more efficiently. This includes carrying out vehicle inspections on a daily

basis, driver training, managing vehicle maintenance contracts, accident management, and checking tyres and fuel.

He said: "I thoroughly enjoy my job. Although it is highly pressurised, it is such a diverse and dynamic work area it maintains your interest every minute of the day. "My team provide high levels of service, resulting in higher standards and value for money services to local residents."

By  
James Willsher



**W**HETHER it's refuse collection, trucks/vans or minibuses, there is a team that makes sure that all the Council's vehicles are safe, eco-friendly, and

## KEY FACT

**By leasing vehicles in bulk, savings of nearly £700,000 are made over four years**

value for money.

The Fleet Management Unit (FMU) oversees nearly 400 vehicles used by the Council and partners such as Hackney Homes, including buses, lorries, and recycling and waste trucks, all of which are used to provide a variety of different services.

By leasing vehicles in bulk instead of through individual departments, the FMU is achieving savings of nearly £700,000 over a four-year contract period.

The Council's waste collection vehicles have also used a five per cent blend biodiesel



Council waste collection vehicles use a five per cent blend biodiesel

(a cleaner burning diesel fuel made from natural, renewable sources, such as vegetable oils) for several years, and the FMU is currently introducing higher blends of up to 35 per cent.

As well as making sure Council vehicles meet

legal standards, the FMU is looking to work with other local authorities in London to achieve greater savings through joint procurements, particularly those which use alternative fuels that are more environmentally-friendly.

## Alternative access to Hackney substation - consultation update

National Grid is keen to understand the genuine views of the community and we will continue to work with you and your local representatives to see if we can find an alternative access to our substation which has minimal impact on the area.

Following the public exhibition on 4 March, and ongoing discussions with community representatives and individuals, we have received some very useful feedback. To give people additional time to consider the proposals, to review the feedback received to date and to have the opportunity to provide further comment we will continue to accept further feedback beyond the previous 6 April deadline and will be holding a second event in May. We will confirm details as soon as possible.



If you would like a copy of the information pack and feedback form please contact National Grid's community relations team on 0800 731 7645 or alternatively email [info@communityrelations.co.uk](mailto:info@communityrelations.co.uk).

Copies are also available on the website [www.engagespace.co.uk/engage/hackney](http://www.engagespace.co.uk/engage/hackney)

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## MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT PROVISIONAL ORDER CONFIRMATION (GREATER LONDON PARKS AND OPEN SPACES) ACT 1967 ("THE 1967 ACT")

### PROPOSED WORKS ON CLAPTON COMMON (CL3) LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY

Mr Alan Beckett, an Inspector appointed by the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs will attend at Committee Room 102, Hackney Town Hall, Mare Street, London, E8 1EA on Wednesday 19 May 2010 to hold a hearing into an application by the London Borough of Hackney for the demolition of existing unused buildings and construction of a community café.

The hearing will begin at 10am on Wednesday 19 May 2010. Anyone can attend the hearing. Anyone who wants to be heard on the subject matter of the application may, at the discretion of the Inspector, give evidence at the hearing or arrange for someone to do so on his or her behalf.

Copies of the application documents, representations and map can be inspected at London Borough Hackney Service Centre, Hillman Street, London

E8 1DY between the hours of 10am and 4pm weekdays (not public holidays) during the six weeks before the hearing. They are also available on request. Please contact the Planning Inspectorate, Room 4/05, Kite Wing, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol BS1 6PN, for further details.

This notice was previously published in the Hackney Gazette on Thursday 1 April 2010.

Gina Warman, Head of the Common Land Casework Team

The Planning Inspectorate

On behalf of the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

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### TTRO / P423B WHISTON ROAD E2 TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF PEDESTRIAN CROSSINGS ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned REMOVAL OF PEDESTRIAN GUARD RAILING within WHISTON ROAD E2 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Temporary closure of Pedestrian Crossing	
Whiston Road	To prohibit pedestrians crossing at the zebra crossing west of Nicholl Street (outside Eleanor Court and Woolstone House) during the removal of pedestrian guard railing
Whiston Road	To prohibit pedestrians crossing at the zebra crossing east of Nicholl Street (outside the playgrounds adjacent to Cosgrove House and Boxmoor House) during the removal of pedestrian guard railing

- The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side
- The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.
- The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.
- The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
12 Apr 2010	0800 hrs	14 Apr 2010	1830 hrs

- Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

### TTRO / P422B WHISTON ROAD E2 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF PEDESTRIANS ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned PEDESTRIAN GUARD RAILING REMOVAL within WHISTON ROAD E2 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of pedestrians	
Whiston Road	From its junction with Queensbridge Road in a westerly direction to its junction with the western building line of Haggerston Baths
Whiston Road	From a point in line with the eastern

north side	building line of Laburnum Court (nearest to pedestrian footway leading to Laburnum Street) in an easterly direction for a distance of 22 metres
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2. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time	
Whiston Road	From its junction with Queensbridge Road in a westerly direction to its junction with the western building line of Haggerston Baths

Whiston Road	From a point in line with the eastern building line of Laburnum Court (nearest to pedestrian footway leading to Laburnum Street) in an easterly direction for a distance of 22 metres
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- The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side
- The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.
- The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.
- The restrictions referred to in paragraph (2) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform
- The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
12 Apr 2010	0800 hrs	14th Apr 2010	1830 hrs

### TTRO / P425B ROSEBERRY PLACE E8 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF PEDESTRIANS ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned BUILDING WORKS BOUNDED BY FOREST ROAD AND ROSEBERRY PLACE E8 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of pedestrians	
Roseberry Place	From its junction with Forest Road in a northerly direction for a distance of 65 metres
Forest Road	From its junction with Roseberry Place in a westerly direction to its junction with the unnamed access lane

- The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side
- The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.
- The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) above will not

apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

- The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
12 Apr 2010	0800 hrs	15 Apr 2011	1700 hrs

- Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

### TTRO / P424B POWELL ROAD E5 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING & PROHIBITION OF PEDESTRIANS ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned CRANE OPERATIONAL WORKS within POWELL ROAD E5 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving	
Powell Road	From its junction with Downs Road to its junction with Heyworth Road
2. Prohibition of pedestrians	
Powell Road	From its junction with Downs Road to its north east side

3. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time	
Powell Road	From its junction with Downs Road to its both sides

- The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side
- The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.
- The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.
- The restrictions referred to in paragraph (3) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform
- This restriction will temporary revoke any existing restrictions in operation during the commencement of works relating to the above paragraphs
- The Order will operate one of the following weekend dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
24 Apr 2010	0800 hrs	25 Apr 2010	1700 hrs
1 May 2010	0800 hrs	2 May 2010	1700 hrs
8 May 2010	0800 hrs	9 May 2010	1700 hrs

- Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

### TTRO / P420B LODDIGES ROAD E9 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned LIFTING WORKS within LODDIGES ROAD E9 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving	
Loddiges Road	From its junction with Frampton Park Road in a north easterly direction for a distance of 37 metres (south western side of the entrance along the north side)

2. Prohibition of pedestrians	
Loddiges Road	From its junction with Frampton Park Road in a north easterly direction for a distance of 37 metres (south western side of the

	entrance along the north side)
3. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time	
Loddiges Road	From its junction with Frampton Park Road in a north easterly direction for a distance of 37 metres (south western side of the entrance along the north side)

- The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side
- The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.
- The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) to (3) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.
- The restrictions referred to in paragraph (3) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform
- The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
17 Apr 2010	0800 hrs	18 Apr 2010	1800 hrs
24 Apr 2010	0800 hrs	25 Apr 2010	1800 hrs

- Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

### TTRO / P421B LANSDOWNE DRIVE E8 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF PEDESTRIANS ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned BUILDING WORKS BOUNDED BY LANSDOWNE DRIVE AND MIDDLETON ROAD E8 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of pedestrians	
Lansdowne Drive	From its junction with Middleton Road in a south west side
Middleton Road	From its junction with Lansdowne Drive in a westerly direction to the eastern boundary line of property No 126

2. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time	
Lansdowne Drive	From its junction with Middleton Road in a south west side
	From its junction with Middleton Road in a north westerly direction for a distance of 36 metres (most north western end of the construction site)

- The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side
- The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.
- The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.
- The restrictions referred to in paragraph (2) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform
- The restrictions referred to in paragraph (2) will not apply to delivery vehicles supplying materials to the adjacent construction site
- The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
12 Apr 2010	0800 hrs	15 Oct 2010	1700 hrs

- Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897



**TTR0 / P426A BACHE'S STREET N1 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004**

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned CRANE OPERATIONAL WORKS within BACHE'S STREET N1 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving  
Bache's Street From its junction with Corsham Street to its junction with Chart Street

2. Prohibition of pedestrians  
Bache's Street From its junction with Corsham Street to its West Side junction with Chart Street

3. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time  
Bache's Street From its junction with Corsham Street to its Both sides junction with Chart Street

4. The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side

5. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

6. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) to (3) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

7. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (3) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform.

8. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
1 May 2010	0800 hrs	2 May 2010	1700 hrs

9. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

**TTR0 / 411B ALMACK ROAD E5 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004**

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned REMOVAL OF TEMPORARY SCHOOL BUILDING WORKS within ALMACK ROAD E5 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving  
Almack Road From its junction with Powerscroft Road to a point in line with property boundary No 6 / 8

2. Prohibition of pedestrians  
Almack Road From its junction with Powerscroft Road to south west side a point in line with property boundary No 6 / 8

3. Revocation of prohibition of driving  
Almack Road at the location of the emergency barrier gate

4. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time  
Almack Road From its junction with Powerscroft Road to both sides a point in line with property boundary No 6 / 8

5. The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side

6. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

7. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) to (4) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably

practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

8. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (4) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform

9. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
12 Apr 2010	0800 hrs	3 May 2010	1700 hrs

10. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

**TTR0 / P419A TYSSSEN STREET E8 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF PEDESTRIANS ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004**

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned CONSTRUCTION WORKS WITHIN RAMSGATE STREET E8 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of pedestrians  
Tyssen Street Between points 10 metres and 45 metres East side north of its junction with Ghent Way  
Ramsgate Street Between points 19 metres and 38 metres north of its junction with Ghent Way

2. Loading Bay for construction vehicles  
Ramsgate Street Between points 10 metres and 45 metres East side north of its junction with Ghent Way

3. The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works..

6. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
26 Apr 2010	0800 hrs	30 Apr 2011	1700 hrs

7. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

**TTR0 / P432A READING LANE, WILTON WAY & HILLMAN STREET E8 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004**

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned ELECTION DUTIES AT THE TOWN HALL access to the following roads READING LANE, WILTON WAY AND HILLMAN STREET E8 will be temporarily restricted and thus intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of Entry Except for Access  
Reading Lane From its junction with Mare Street to the Emergency Barrier Gate

- Hillman Street From its junction with Reading Lane to its junction with Wilton Way

- Wilton Way From its junction with Mare Street to its junction with Hillman Street

2. Revocation of One Way in favour of two way  
Wilton Way From its junction with Mare Street to its junction with Hillman Street

3. Reversal of One Way  
Hillman Street From its junction with Wilton Way to its junction with Reading Lane

4. Revocation of Left and Right Turn manoeuvres

- Mare Street At its junction with Wilton Way

5. Relaxation of left turn manoeuvre to permit both left and right turn manoeuvres  
Reading Lane At its junction with Mare Street

6. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Officer in uniform.

7. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) to (5) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

8. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (1) shall be relaxed at the discretion of a Police Officer in uniform

9. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
6 May 2010	2000 hrs	7 May 2010	0600 hrs

10. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

**TTR0 / P430A NEW INN STREET EC2 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004**

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned CRANE OPERATIONAL WORKS they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving  
New Inn Street From its junction with Bateman's Row to its junction with New Inn Broadway

2. Prohibition of pedestrians  
New Inn Street From its junction with Bateman's Row to its east side junction with New Inn Broadway

3. Prohibition of Left Turn manoeuvre  
Bateman's Row At its junction with New Inn Street

4. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time  
New Inn Street From its junction with Bateman's Row to its both sides junction with New Inn Broadway

5. The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side

6. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

7. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) to (4) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

8. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
1 May	0800 hrs	1 May	1700 hrs

9. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

**TTR0 / P431A LEE STREET E8 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING & PROHIBITION OF PEDESTRIANS ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004**

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned FOOTWAY REMEDIATION WORKS within LEE STREET E8 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving  
Lee Street From its junction with Stean Street to its junction with Clarissa Street

2. Prohibition of pedestrians  
Lee Street From its junction with Stean Street to its north side junction with Clarissa Street  
Lee Street From its junction with Stean Street to its south side junction with Clarissa Street

3. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time  
Lee Street From its junction with Stean Street to its both sides junction with Clarissa Street

4. The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side.

5. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

6. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) to (3) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

7. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (2) shall apply along one side in its entirety prior to works being undertaken along the opposite side

8. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (3) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform

9. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
26 Apr 2010	0800 hrs	30 May 2010	1700 hrs

10. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

**TTR0 / P373-1A BOUNDARY STREET E2 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004**

The Council of London Borough of Hackney with the agreement of The London Borough of Tower Hamlets HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned NATIONAL GRID (GAS) INSTALLATION WORKS they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving  
Boundary Street From Austin Street to the property boundary of No's 28 and 30

2. Revocation of One Way  
Boundary Street From Virginia Road to the property boundary of No's 28 and 30

3. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time  
Boundary Street From Austin Street to the property both sides boundary of No's 28 and 30

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) to (3) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
26 Apr 2010	0800 hrs	30 Apr 2010	1700 hrs

7. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

**LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PRESCRIBED ROUTE) (CONTRA FLOW CYCLE LANE)**

**(NO.) TRAFFIC ORDER 20\*\* TRO 674**

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Order under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985.
2. The general effect of the Order would be to introduce a contra flow cycle lane on the northern side Gascoyne Road, operating at all times.
3. Copies of the Order, other relevant Orders and documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period of 6 weeks from the date on which the Order is made or the Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.
4. Any objections or other representations about the proposed Order should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

**LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY HIGHWAYS ACT 1980 - SECTION 90C GASCOYNE ROAD ENTRY TREATMENTS, SPEED TABLES TRO 673**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the London Borough of Hackney, in accordance with Section 90C of the Highway Act 1980 and the Highways (Road Humps) Regulations 1999, proposes the provision of raised entry treatments and speed tables in certain sections of Gascoyne Road as set out in the schedule to this notice.

Plans of the proposed measures can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until a period of 21 days from the date, on which this notice is published, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

Any objections or other representations about the proposals should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in the above paragraph until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made

**SCHEDULE**

Raised Entry Treatment: The raised entry treatment would be constructed and maintained with a maximum height of 100 millimetres and would vary in length and width and on/off ramps will be constructed at a gradient of 1:10 to 1:20

ITEM:	ROAD/STREET	DESCRIPTION
1	Gascoyne Road	From its junction with Cassland Road, Southwards for a distance of 10 metres.
Item:	Road/Street	Description
1.1	Gascoyne Road	From a point opposite the south east wall of no.8 Gascoyne Road, South west wards for a distance of 23.8 metres.
1.2	Bradstock Road	From a point 59.3 metres south of a point opposite the north east wall of no. 96 Cassland Road, southwest wards for a distance of 15.9 metres
2	Gascoyne Road	From a point 79.2 metres south of its junction with Bradstock Road, Southwards for a distance of 9 metres.
3	Gascoyne Road	From a point 50 metres west of its junction with Harrowgate Road, Westwards for a distance of 16.8 metres.
4.1	Gascoyne Road	From its junction with Victoria Park Road, westwards for a distance of 21.4 metres.
4.2	Harrowgate	From its junction with Gascoyne Road, northwards 5.2metres

Raised Entry Treatment: The raised entry treatment would be constructed and maintained with a maximum height of 100 millimetres and would vary in length and width and on/off ramps will be constructed at a gradient of 1:10 to 1:20

ITEM:	ROAD/STREET	DESCRIPTION
1	Gascoyne Road	From the common boundary of Nos.4/5 Gascoyne Road, extending south westwards for 2 metres.
2	Gascoyne Road	From a point 43.3 metres south east of its junction with Bradstock Road, extending south westwards for a distance of 2 metres.
3	Gascoyne Road	From a point 119 m north west of its junction with Harrowgate, extending south eastwards for a distance of 2 metres.

**LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO.\*) ORDER 20\*\* TRO 672**

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Order under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.
2. The general effect of the Order would be to introduce waiting restrictions operating "at any time" into a section of Gascoyne Road.
3. Copies of the Order, other relevant Orders and documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period of 6 weeks from the date on which the Order is made or the Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.
4. Any objections or other representations about the proposed Order should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

**LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY NOTICE OF VARIATION OF PARKING PERMIT CHARGES BOROUGH WIDE, ON-STREET PARKING PLACES TRO 671**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London borough of Hackney under Section 46A of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by Schedule 9 of the Local Government Act 1985 and of all other enabling powers intends to vary the annual charges for the permit type as shown below:-

The new charges which will come into force on May 10th 2010 are as follows:-

Resident Permit 12 months	Existing Charges 2009/2010	Proposed Charges 2010/2011
Greenest Vehicles	Free	Free
Greener Fuels & Smaller Engines (under 1200cc)	£45.00	£46.00
Normal Sizes (1200 - 2000cc)	£90.00	£92.00
Large Engine (2001 - 3000cc)	£135.00	£138.00
Very Large (3001 - 4000cc)	£180.00	£184.00
Extremely large (4001 plus cc)	£225.00	£230.00
<b>Residents permits - 6 months</b>		
Greenest Vehicles	Free	Free
Greener Fuels & Smaller Engines (under 1200cc)	£25.50	£26.00
Normal Sizes (1200 - 2000cc)	£51.00	£52.00
Large Engine (2001 - 3000cc)	£76.50	£78.00
Very Large (3001 - 4000cc)	£102.00	£104.00
Extremely large (4001 plus cc)	£127.50	£130.00
<b>Resident permits - 3 months</b>		
Greenest Vehicles	Free	Free

Greener Fuels & Smaller Engines (under 1200cc)	£14.00	£14.50
Normal Sizes (1200 - 2000cc)	£28.00	£29.00
Large Engine (2001 - 3000cc)	£42.00	£43.50
Very Large (3001 - 4000cc)	£56.00	£58.00
Extremely large (4001 plus cc)	£70.00	£72.50

**Business permits – Zone A, B – 12 months Existing Charges Proposed Charges**

Greenest Vehicles	Free	Free
Greener Fuels & Smaller Engines (under 1200cc)	£400.00	£410.00
Normal Sizes (1200 - 2000cc)	£800.00	£820.00
Large Engine (2001 - 3000cc)	£1,200.00	£1,230.00
Very Large (3001 - 4000cc)	£1,200.00	£1,230.00
Extremely large (4001 plus cc)	£1,200.00	£1,230.00

**Business Permits - Zone A, B, – 3 months**

Greenest Vehicles	Free	Free
Greener Fuels & Smaller Engines (under 1200cc)	£150.00	£155
Normal Sizes (1200 - 2000cc)	£300.00	£310.00
Large Engine (2001 - 3000cc)	£450.00	£465.00
Very Large (3001 - 4000cc)	£450.00	£465.00
Extremely large (4001 plus cc)	£450.00	£465.00

**Business Permits - Zone C, D, E, F, G, G2, H, J, N, M - 12months**

Greenest Vehicles	Free	Free
Greener Fuels & Smaller Engines (under 1200cc)	£185.00	£190.00
Normal Sizes (1200 - 2000cc)	£370.00	£380.00
Large Engine (2001 - 3000cc)	£555.00	£570.00
Very Large (3001 - 4000cc)	£740.00	£760.00
Extremely large (4001 plus cc)	£925.00	£950.00

**Zone C, D, E, F, G, G2, H, J, N, M - 3months**

Greenest Vehicles	Free	Free
Greener Fuels & Smaller Engines (under 1200cc)	£67.50	£70.00
Normal Sizes (1200 - 2000cc)	£135.00	£140.00
Large Engine (2001 - 3000cc)	£202.50	£210.00
Very Large (3001 - 4000cc)	£270.00	£280.00
Extremely large (4001 plus cc)	£337.50	£350.00
1 Year - All Zone	£1,700.00	£1,750.00

**Suspensions**

Zones - A,B, C,D, F 2009/10	days 1,2,3 - £13/bay/day days 4 onwards - £20/bay/day long stay payment - due on day 4 - £70/bay	
2010/11	days 1,2,3 - £13.40/bay/day days 4 onwards £20.50/bay/day long stay payment - due on day 4 - £72.10/bay	
Zones – E, G, G2, H, J, N, M 2009/10	£13/bay/day long stay payment - due on day 4 - £70/bay	
2010/11	£13.40/bay/day long stay payment - due on day 4 - £72.10/bay	
<b>Dispensation</b> Per day	<b>2009/10</b> £12.00	<b>2010/11</b> £12.40

Per week	£36.00	£36.90
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A copy of the Notice can be inspected during normal office hours, Monday to Friday inclusive, until expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published, in the reception area of in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897 .

**LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (ZONE J) (AMENDMENT NO.\*) ORDER 20\*\* THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (D ZONE) (AMENDMENT NO.\*) ORDER 20\*\* TRO 670**

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.
2. The general effect of the Orders would be to move a section of London Lane between it's junction with Mare Street and it's junction with Grandsen Avenue from Controlled Parking Zone J into Controlled Parking Zone D (central). This would mean that, in that stretch of road;
  - (a) any single yellow line restrictions currently operating between 8.30am and 11pm on Mondays to Saturdays would operate between 8.30am and 6.30pm on Mondays to Fridays;
  - (b) the 3 shared use and pay & display bays outside Nos. 18 – 22 and No. 21 London Lane which currently operate between 8.30am and 11pm on Mondays to Saturdays, (maximum stay 2 hours with no return within 2 hours) would operate between 8.30am and 6.30pm on Mondays to Fridays with the maximum stay and no return times remaining the same;
  - (c) the shared use bay outside Nos. 9 – 11 London Lane which currently operates between 8.30am and 11pm on Mondays to Saturdays would operate between 8.30am and 6.30pm on Mondays to Fridays.
3. The new boundary will move all properties in London Lane into Controlled Parking Zone J.
3. Copies of the Orders, other relevant Orders and documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period of 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or the Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.
4. Any objections or other representations about either of the proposed Orders should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

**LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (M ZONE) (AMENDMENT NO.\*) ORDER 20\*\* THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO.\*) ORDER 20\*\* TRO 669**

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.
2. The general effect of the Orders would be to extend the existing resident permit bay outside Nos. 21-31 Allen Road by 7 metres replacing an existing section of waiting restrictions outside No. 19 Allen Road.
3. Copies of the Orders, other relevant Orders and documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period of 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or the Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.
4. Any objections or other representations about either of the proposed Orders should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.



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**LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (ZONE J) (AMENDMENT NO. \*) ORDER 20\*\* THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO. \*) ORDER 20\*\* TRO 668**

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.
2. The general effect of the Orders would be to:-
  - (a) remove an existing section of echelon resident permit bay outside Nos. 146 – 152 Mapledene Road and replace with No Waiting "At any time" restrictions
  - (b) introduce a motorcycle bay into a section of Sidworth Street.
3. Copies of the Orders, other relevant Orders and documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period of 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or the Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.
4. Any objections or other representations about either of the proposed Orders should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

**LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY LONDON FIELDS AREA THE HACKNEY (20MPH SPEED LIMIT) (AMENDMENT NO. \*) (NO. \*) ORDER 20\*\* TRO 667**

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Order under Section 84 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004
2. The general effect of the Order would be to introduce a 20mph speed limit into Martello Street, Warburton Road and Silesia Buildings within an existing 20mph Zone in the London Fields Area.
3. Copies of the Order, and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Order is made or the Council decides not to make the Order, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.
4. Any objections or other representations about the proposed Order should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

**LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (LOADING BAYS) (AMENDMENT NO. 4) ORDER 2010 TRO 658**

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 9th April 2010 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.
2. The general effect of the Order will be to amend the Council's Traffic Order for a loading bay to be introduced outside numbers 74-76 Green Lanes so that it applies Mon to Sun 10am to 8.30pm.
3. Copies of the Order, which will come into force on 14th April 2010, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Order is made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Order, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Order is made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

**LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (DISABLED PERSON PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. 9) ORDER 2010 TRO 657**

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 9th April 2010 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Order under sections 6, and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.
2. The general effect of the Order will be to introduce a disabled bay outside Number 69 Fairholt Road.
3. Copies of the Order, which will come into force on 14th April 2010, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Order is made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.
4. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Order, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Order is made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

**LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (H ZONE) (AMENDMENT NO. 2) ORDER 2010 THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO. 24) ORDER 2010 TRO 656**

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 9th April 2010 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.
2. The general effect of the Orders will be to:-
  - (a) change two existing general permit bays in Ardleigh Road to resident permit only parking bays;
  - (b) extend a section of residents permit holders only bay replacing an existing section of waiting restrictions operating "at any time" in Ardleigh Road.
3. Copies of the Orders, which will come into force on 14th April 2010, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of either of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.
4. If any person wishes to question the validity of either of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

**LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (M ZONE) (AMENDMENT NO. 3) ORDER 2010 THE HACKNEY (DOCTORS PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. 2) ORDER 2010 TRO 655**

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 9th April 2010 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be to replace a section of existing residents permit holder parking bay in Springdale Road with a doctors bay.
3. Copies of the Orders, which will come into force on 14th April 2010, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of either of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.
4. If any person wishes to question the validity of either of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

**LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PRESCRIBED ROUTES) (AMENDMENT NO. \*) ORDER 20\*\* TRO 651**

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Order under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.
2. The general effect of the Order would be to introduce one way traffic operation in Forest Road between its junction with Kingsland Road and Roseberry Place operating in a west to east direction.
3. Copies of the Order, other relevant Orders and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Order is made or the Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. Further information may be

obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. Any objections or other representations about the proposed Order should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

**LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO. \*) ORDER 20\*\* THE HACKNEY (LOADING BAY) (AMENDMENT NO. \*) ORDER 200\*\* TRO 650**

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.
2. The general effect of the Orders would be to:-
  - (a) introduce waiting restrictions operating "at any time" into a section of Forest Road;
  - (b) introduce a loading bay operating "at any time" into a section of Forest Road.
3. Copies of the Orders, other relevant Orders and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of either of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or the Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.
4. Any objections or other representations about either of the proposed Orders should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

## LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY LOCAL AUTHORITIES (ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION IN DESIGNATED PUBLIC PLACES) REGULATIONS 2007

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the London Borough of Hackney in exercise of its powers under the Local Authorities (Alcohol Consumption in Designated Public Places) Regulations 2007 has made an order which shall come into effect on the 24th of May 2010 identifying places detailed in the schedule below as designated public places pursuant to the Criminal Justice and Police Act 2001 (as amended by the Violent Crime Reduction Act 2006).

The Order allows a police officer, police community support officer (where accredited under section 41, section 42 and schedule 5 to the Police Reform Act) and people accredited through a community safety accreditation scheme to control the consumption of alcohol within designated public places. If they believe that someone is consuming alcohol or intends to consume alcohol they can require them to stop or they can confiscate the alcohol.

Any person who fails without reasonable excuse to comply with an officer's request under this provision may commit

an offence and may be issued with a penalty notice for disorder or may be liable to prosecution.

### SCHEDULE LAND DESIGNATED BY DESCRIPTION

This Order applies to all those public places falling within the administrative area of the Council except those premises and places to which Section 14 of the said Act applies.

**London Borough of Hackney  
Town Hall  
Mare Street  
London E8 1EA  
17th March 2010**

## LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO. 25) ORDER 2010 THE HACKNEY (BUS LANES) (AMENDMENT NO. 2) ORDER 2010 TRO 643

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 9th April 2010 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.
2. The general effect of the Orders will be to
  - (a) introduce waiting restrictions operating "at any time" into a section of East Road;
  - (b) introduce no loading restrictions operating Mondays to Sundays 7am to 7pm;
  - (c) upgrade the operational hours of an existing bus lane operating Mondays to Saturdays 7am to 10am and 4pm to 7pm in East Road to Mondays to Sundays 7am to 7pm.
3. Copies of the Orders, which will come into force on 14th April 2010, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of either of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.
4. If any person wishes to question the validity of either of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

Unless otherwise stated all traffic notices are as follows: Dated this 12th day of April 2010  
Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)  
(The officer appointed for this purpose)

## LICENSING

Notice is given that **MR SAJJAD HUSSAIN** has applied to HACKNEY COUNCIL for a premises licence at:

**91B UPPER CLAPTON ROAD E5 9BU** in order that the following licensable activities can take place:  
Late night refreshments between 23:00hrs and 01:00hrs Monday to Sunday.

The licence register listing details of the application is held at the Licensing Service, 275 Mare Street, London E8 1GR (Tel No. 020 8356 4970). Details are also available on-line at [www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing)

Any representations against this application must be made in writing and received by the Licensing Service at the above address, by no later than the 2nd May 2010

Residents and businesses in the vicinity of the premises, or their representatives, may make representations on licensing objectives grounds only, i.e. the prevention of crime and disorder, the prevention of public nuisance, public safety and the protection of children from harm. Copies of all representations will be sent to the applicant. It is an offence, liable on conviction to a fine up to £5000 for an applicant to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with the application.

**DATED 12 APRIL 2010**

Notice is given that **PHUONG KIM HUYNH** has applied to the London Borough of Hackney for a massage/special treatment licence for the premises **VIETNAM'S FINEST NAIL SALON, 226 WELL STREET, HACKNEY E9 6QT**.

Anyone wishing to oppose the application must give notice, in writing, to the Licensing Service Manager, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street, London E8 1DY, within THREE WEEKS from the date of publication of this Notice, specifying the grounds for opposition.

Persons objecting to the grant of a licence must be prepared to attend a hearing before A Committee of the Council.

**DATED 12 APRIL 2010**

Notice is given that **SUBMANIA LTD** applied to HACKNEY COUNCIL for a premises licence at: **SUBWAY 50 GREAT EASTERN STREET, LONDON, EC2A 3EP** in order that the following licensable activities can take place:

To sell toasted sandwiches and refreshments between 11pm and 4am on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays.

The licence register listing details of the application is held at the Licensing Service, 275 Mare Street, London E8 1GR (Tel No. 020 8356 4970). Details are also available on-line at [www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing)

Any representations against this application must be made in writing and received by the Licensing Service at the above address, by no later than the 2nd May 2010

Residents and businesses in the vicinity of the premises, or their representatives, may make representations on licensing objectives grounds only, i.e. the prevention of crime and disorder, the prevention of public nuisance, public safety and the protection of children from harm. Copies of all representations will be sent to the applicant. It is an offence, liable on conviction to a fine up to £5000 for an applicant to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with the application.

**DATED 12 APRIL 2010**



## PLANNING

### EC2

**335 OLD STREET EC1V 9LL** Display of externally illuminated advertisement shroud 24m (width) x 6m (height) for a temporary period of 2 years during construction works. 2010/0659 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**205-207 CITY ROAD EC1V 1JN** Change of use of the rear part of the fourth floor premises from B1 (office) to D1 (a) (health purposes). 2010/0652 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**201/3 CITY ROAD EC1V 1JN** Change of use of the second floor premises from B1 (Office) to D1 (A) Health purposes. 2010/0655 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

### EC2

**1-4 HOLYWELL LANE, EC2A 3ET** Erection of a seven storey building comprising: 528sqm of office (class B1) floorspace at basement, ground and first floor levels; eight residential units on upper floors (6x1 and 2x3 bedroom units); roof terraces at fourth and sixth floor level; and associated off street loading bay, cycle and refuse storage. 2010/0666 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**15-17 CHRISTOPHER STREET EC2A 2BS** Installation of one air-conditioning unit under stairs to front lightwell and installation of six air-conditioning units to the rear of the property at lower ground floor level. 2010/0611 Affects Setting of a Listed Building

**15-17 CHRISTOPHER STREET EC2A 2BS** Internal alterations comprising removal of staircase balustrade and replacement with new balustrade. 2010/0612 Listed Building

### E1

**BISHOPSGATE GOODS YARD SHOREDITCH HIGH STREET E1** Removal of condition C(c) (details of screen wall and ground surface treatment) attached to listed building consent issued by the Secretary of State on 14 January 1997 for the partial demolition of the former Bishopsgate Goods Yard and the construction of a length of boundary wall. 2010/0509 Listed Building Consent

### E2

**112 - 118 KINGSLAND ROAD E2 8DP** Change of use of ground floor B1 (office) to A1 (retail). 2009/3005 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**KORSAN BAR 161-165 KINGSLAND ROAD E2 8AL** Demolition of unauthorised roof over existing forecourt and removal of unauthorised meshing above existing wall surrounding forecourt together with the installation of new metal railings above existing wall that encloses the forecourt area together with the provision of new brick piers. 2010/0574 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**ARCHES 363-365 KINGSLAND VIADUCT HOWS STREET E2**

**8EE** Elevational alterations to Arch 365 comprising; installation of new window at ground floor level on west elevation, together with installation of frameless glazing with glazed door in existing opening and infilling of existing windows opening on east elevation. 2010/0196 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**89 GOLDSMITHS ROW E2 8QR** Erection of a mansard roof extension together with the provision of a terrace to the rear elevation and the erection of railings to enclose the proposed roof terrace and associated internal and external alterations. 2010/0414 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

### E5

**34 CHATSWORTH ROAD E5 0LP** Part demolition of first floor extension and part retrospective retention of first floor and second floor extension, also to include the removal of existing infill at first floor level at the rear between 34 Chatsworth Road and 79 Dunlape Road. 2010/0294 Major Development

**99 - 101 LOWER CLAPTON ROAD E5 0NP** Installation of externally illuminated fascia and projecting signs. 2010/0686 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**61 LOWER CLAPTON ROAD E5 0NS** Change of use of ground floor from retail unit (class A1) to nail bar (Sui Generis). 2010/0656 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

### E8

**CHURCH OF ST MICHAELS & ALL ANGELS LANSDOWNE DRIVE E8 3ER** Relaying and extension of existing paved approach to east side of church, repositioning of railing fence and installation of cycle parking racks. 2010/0555 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**39 BROWNLOW ROAD E8 4NS** Erection of rear balcony at ground floor level with 1.8m high privacy screens and staircase providing access to rear garden from ground floor level, together with replacement of existing ground floor rear window with bi-folding doors. 2010/0575 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**4 SHRUBLAND ROAD E8 4NN** Demolition of existing two storey rear extension and erection of new part two storey part single storey rear extension with balcony at upper ground floor and together with alterations to east side elevation comprising replacement of existing lower ground floor windows with new timber windows and replacement of existing door with a window and creation of a patio garden. 2010/0559 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**89A GRAHAM ROAD E8 1PB** Conversion of existing four bedroom unit into 1x1 bedroom unit at first floor level and 1x3 bedroom unit at second and third floor level together with the provision of a front and rear dormer together with associated internal and external alterations. 2010/0242 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**CHURCH OF ST MICHAELS AND ALL ANGELS LANSDOWNE DRIVE E8 3ER** Installation of access ramp with handrail to Lavender Grove entrance. 2010/0457 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**515A KINGSLAND ROAD E8 4AR** Change of use of first floor from office (B1) to a radio controlled mini-cab office (Sui Generis) with office opening hours from 08:00 to 18:00 Monday to Friday and mini-cab service operating 24 hours daily. 2010/0519 Affects Setting of a Listed Building

**29 GAYHURST ROAD E8 3EH** Erection of a single storey rear extension together with associated internal and external alterations. 2010/0537 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**6C ST MARKS RISE E8 2NJ** Erection of a rear dormer roof extension together with the provision of two rooflights on the front roofslope and one rooflight on the rear roofslope. 2010/0603 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**OUTSIDE 527 KINGSLAND ROAD E8 4AR** Relocation of existing telephone Kiosk from outside 515-517 Kingsland Road to outside 527 Kingsland Road. 2010/0646 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

### E9

**40B WELL STREET E9 7PX** Variation of Condition No.1 (Hours of Use) attached to planning permission 2007/1220 dated 12/07/2007 to allow minicab office to operate for 24 hours daily. 2010/0624 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**UNIT 1 229 VICTORIA PARK ROAD E9 7HD** Change of use of part residential to A1 (Art Gallery) Opening hours Monday to Saturday 11:00 hours to 19:00 hours, Sunday 11:00 hours to 17:00 hours; 2010/0184 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**14C CADOGAN TERRACE E9 5EG** Alteration and enlargement

of existing mansard roof on the front enlargement to facilitate an increase in the floorspace. 2010/0292 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

### N1

**46-68 DE BEAUVOIR CRESCENT N1 5SB** Redevelopment of the site comprising demolition of the building and erection of a six-storey building and a seven storey building to provide 1987 sq.m business/light industrial space (use class B1) and café (use class A3 at lower-ground and ground-floor levels with 76 residential units above (32 one-bed flats, 20 two-bed flats, 26 three-bed flats and 8 four-bed flats) with associated car-parking and landscaping 2010/0551 Major Development

**160 SOUTHGATE ROAD N1 3HX** Replacement of two existing timber sliding box sash windows at ground floor level on front elevation with new double glazed timber sliding box sash windows. 2009/2354 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**FLAT 4 ARTISTS COURT, 35 REGAN WAY N1 6PG** Erection of a mansard roof extension and infill extension to second floor 2010/0674 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**B10, 8 - 9 HOXTON SQUARE N1 6NU** Retention of 1 bed flat from live work 2009/2604 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**(BB) 8 - 9 HOXTON SQUARE N1 6NU** Retention of 1 bed flat from live/work. 2009/2606 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**18 NORTHCHURCH TERRACE N1 4EG** Erection of bicycle storage shed to front of existing dwelling. 2010/0584 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**B6, 8 - 9 HOXTON SQUARE N1 6NU** Retention of 1 bed flat from live/work 2009/2608 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**32 PITFIELD STREET N1 6EU** Alterations to front and rear elevations at ground and basement levels to facilitate approved change of use application 2009/2450. 2010/0338 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

### N4

**396-408 SEVEN SISTERS ROAD N4 2LX S73** application to vary condition 17 (no plant or machinery to the roof) so as to allow for installation of a telecommunications antennae and ancillary equipment at roof level as part of application 2007/2959 for demolition of existing buildings and the erection of part 4 and part 6 storey buildings to provide 130 residential units (48x1 bed, 42x2 bed, 27x3 bed and 13x4 bed) with associated parking, amenity space and landscaping. 2010/0495 Major Development

### N16

**118 SHAKESPEARE WALK N16 8TA** Retention of french doors to the rear elevation at ground floor level. 2010/0393 Affects Setting of a Listed Building

**118 SHAKESPEARE WALK N16 8TA** Retention of french doors to the rear elevation at ground floor level. 2010/0408 Listed Building Consent

**15 WILMER PLACE N16 0LY** Erection of a rear dormer roof extension. 2010/0451 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**8 DRAKECROFT QUEEN ELIZABETHS WALK N16 0HY** Replacement of existing critical windows with steel windows 2010/0456 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**140 STOKE NEWINGTON HIGH STREET N16 7JL** Erection of 2-storey extension and other elevational alterations to facilitate alterations to existing retail unit and 2 N° flats and creation of 6 N° additional flats. 2010/0554 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

London Borough of Hackney Notice under the Town and Country Planning Acts and Related Orders The Applications can be inspected between 9am and 5pm at 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. They can also be viewed on the following website: [www.hackney.gov.uk/planning](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/planning). Representations should be made in writing within 21 days to the Development Control Manager, 2 Hillman Street, London, E8 1 FB. All representations will be acknowledged in writing. Graham Loveland, Interim Assistant Director  
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